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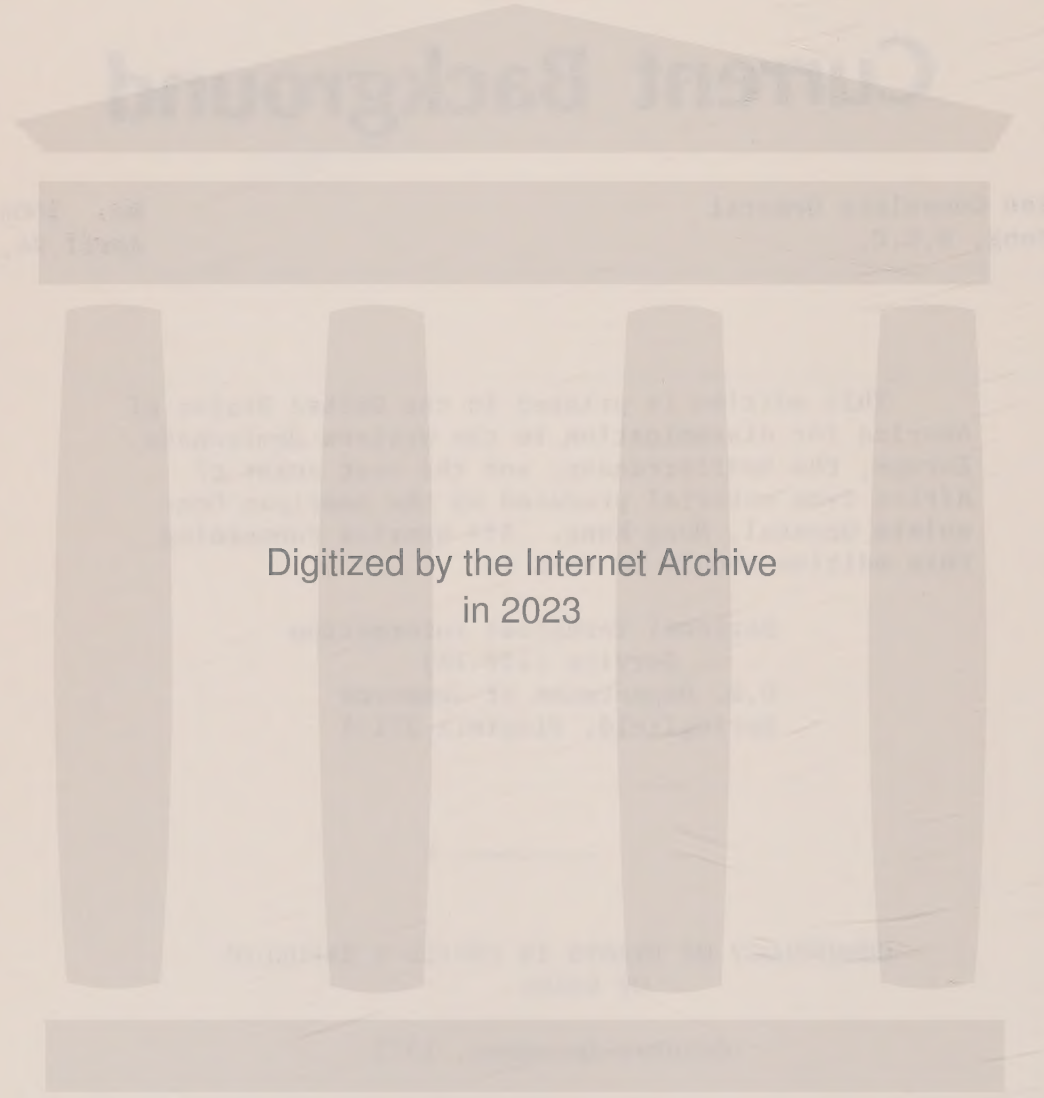

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October 1973

1 Jen-min Jih-pao, Hung-ch'i and Chieh-fang-chün Pao carry an editorial, entitled, "Study Hard and Continue To Advance," in celebration of 24th anniversary of founding of People's Republic of China. (SCMP 73-41/131-135)

1 Peking holds National Day celebrations. (SCMP 73-42/16-21)

1 The Chinese People's Association for Friendship with Foreign Countries gives a National Day reception in the Banquet Hall of the Great Hall of the People in Peking for friends and well-known personages from friendly organizations and cultural, art, sports and trade circles of various countries. (SCMP 73-42/22-24)

1 Algerian President Boumedienne greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/37)

1 Queen Elizabeth II of Britain greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/122)

1 Samdech and Madame Sihanouk, Prime Minister and Madame Penn Nouth, Special Envoy Ieng Sary join Chinese National Day celebrations in Peking. (SCMP 73-42/46-47)

1 Ngarta Tombalbaye, President of Chad, greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/210)

1 Makarios, President of the Republic of Cyprus, greet Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/212)

1 President Urho Kekkonen of the Republic of Finland greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/129-130)

1 Willi Stoph, Chairman of the Council of Ministers of the German Democratic Republic, greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/214-215)

1 Guinean President Sekou Toure greets China's National Day. (SCMP 73-42/52)

1 Luis Cabral, President of the Council of State, and Francisco Mendes, Chairman of the Council of Commissioners of State, of the Republic of Guinea-Bissau greet Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/300)

1 Georges Papadopoulos, President of the Hellenic Republic, greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/134)

1 Amir Abbas Hoveyda, Prime Minister of Iran, greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/219)

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1 Japanese Emperor Hirohito greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/141)

1 Japanese Prime Minister Kakuei Tanaka greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/141)

1 Kenyan President Jomo Kenyatta greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/305)

1 The Korean paper "Rodong Simmun" publishes an editorial warmly greeting the 24th anniversary of the founding of People's Republic of China. (SCMP 73-42/58-59)

1 The Lao paper "Lao Haksat" warmly greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/62)

1 Luxembourg-China Friendship Association gives banquet in celebration of Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/63-64)

1 Gabriel Ramanantsoa, Chief of Malagasy Government, greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/223-224)

1 King Hassan II of Morocco greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/308)

1 Queen Juliana Louisa Emma Marie Whilhelmiana of the Netherlands greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/154)

1 Peruvian President Juan Velasco Alvarado greet China's National Day. (SCMP 73-42/230)

1-8 The Peru-China Cultural Institute conducts activities in celebration of the 24th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China. (SCMP 73-43/91)

1 Romanian paper "Scinteia" warmly greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/70-71)

1 Juvenal Habyalimana, President of Rwanda, greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/232)

1 Sudanese President Gaafar Mohamed Nimeri greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/318-319)

1 Carl XVI Gustaf, King of Sweden, greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/165)

1 The "Voice of the People of Thailand" greets China's National Day. (SCMP 73-42/239)

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1 Chao Chin, Chinese Ambassador to Bulgaria, gives National Day Reception in Sofia. (SCMP 73-42/40)

1 Chinese Ambassador to Burma Yeh Cheng-chang hold National Day reception in Rangoon. (SCMP 73-42/41)

1 Chinese Ambasador to Burundi Chen Feng holds National Day reception in Bujumbura. (SCMP 73-42/123)

1 Chinese Ambassador to Canada Chang Wen-chin holds National Day reception in Ottawa. (SCMP 73-42/125)

1 Lu Chih-hsien, Chinese Ambassador to the Congo, gives National Day reception in Brazzaville. (SCMP 73-42/210-211)

1 Chang Teh-chun, Chinese Ambassador to Cuba, gives National Day reception in Havana. (SCMP 73-42/126)

1 Tai Lu, Chinese Ambassador to Cyprus, holds National Day reception in Nicosia. (SCMP 73-42/296-297)

1 Tsung Ke-wen, Chinese Ambassador to Czechoslovakia, gives National Day reception in Prague. (SCMP 73-42/126-127)

1 Yueh Liang, Chinese Ambassador to Denmark, gives National Day reception. (SCMP 73-42/297)

1 Chen Tan, Chinese Ambassador to Equitorial Guinea, holds National Day reception in Malabo. (SCMP 73-42/215)

1 Chinese Ambassador to Finland Shih Tzu-ming gives National Day reception in Helsinki. (SCMP 73-42/130)

1 Tseng Tao, Chinese Ambassador to France, gives National Day reception in Paris. (SCMP 73-42/132)

1 Peng Kuang-wei, Chinese Ambassador to the German Democratic Republic, gives National Day reception in Berlin. (SCMP 73-42/127-128)

1 Wang Yu-tien, Chinese Ambassador to the Federal Republic of Germany, gives National Day reception in Bonn. (SCMP 73-42/263-264)

1 Ke Hua, Chinese Ambassador to Ghana, holds National Day reception in Accra. (SCMP 73-42/216)

1 Chinese Ambassador to Guyana Wang Chan-yuan gives National Day reception in Georgetown. (SCMP 73-42/53)

1 Chinese Ambassador to the Hellenic Republic Chou Po-ping gives National Day reception in Athens. (SCMP 73-42/134-135)

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1 Li Tse-wang, Chinese Ambassador to Hungary, gives National Day reception in Budapest. (SCMP 73-42/135)

1 Chinese Ambassador to Iceland Chen Tung holds National Day reception in Reykjavik. (SCMP 73-42/136)

1 Ma Mu-ming, Charge d'Affaires ad Interim of the Chinese Embassy in New Delhi, gives National Day reception in New Delhi. (SCMP 73-42/137)

1 Chinese Ambassador to Iran Chen Hsin-jen holds National Day reception in Tehran. (SCMP 73-42/54)

1 Chinese Ambassador to Italy Shen Ping gives National Day reception in Rome. (SCMP 73-42/138)

1 Li Chao, Chinese Ambassador to Jamaica, holds National Day reception in Kingston. (SCMP 73-42/220)

1 Chinese Ambassador to Japan Chen Chu gives National Day reception in Tokyo. (SCMP 73-42/55)

1 Li Shih, Charge d'Affaires ad Interim of the Chinese Embassy in Kenya, holds National Day reception in Nairobi. (SCMP 73-42/221)

1 Chinese Ambassador to Korea Li Yun-chuan gives National Day reception in Pyongyang. (SCMP 73-42/56-58)

1 Chinese Ambassador to Kuwait Sun Sheng-wei holds National Day reception in Kuwait. (SCMP 73-42/144)

1 Ling Chao-yuan, Charge d'Affaires ad Interim of the Chinese Embassy in Laos, holds National Day reception in Vientiane. (SCMP 73-42/144-145)

1 Chinese Ambassador to Lebanon Hsu Ming holds National Day reception in Beirut. (SCMP 73-42/63)

1 Meng Yueh, Chinese Ambassador to Mali, holds National Day reception in Bamako. (SCMP 73-42/226)

1 Chinese Ambassador to Mauritania Wang Peng holds National Day reception in Nouakchott. (SCMP 73-42/148)

1 Chinese Ambassador to Mauritius Wang Tse gives National Day reception in Port Louis. (SCMP 73-42/150)

1 Chinese Ambassador to Mexico Yao Kuang gives National Day reception in Mexico City. (SCMP 73-42/65)

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1 Chinese Ambassador to Mongolia Hsu Wen-yi gives National Day reception in Ulan Bator. (SCMP 73-42/66)

1 Chinese Ambassador to Morocco Chang Wei-lieh holds National Day reception in Rabat. (SCMP 73-42/152)

1 Chinese Ambassador to Nepal Tsao Chih holds National Day reception in Kathmandu. (SCMP 73-42/66-67)

1 Hao Teh-ching, Chinese Ambassador to the Netherlands, holds National Day reception in The Hague. (SCMP 73-42/153-154)

1 Pei Tsien-chang, Chinese Ambassador to New Zealand, holds National Day reception in Wellington. (SCMP 73-42/67)

1 Chinese Ambassador to Norway Tsao Chun-keng gives National Day reception in Oslo. (SCMP 73-42/156)

1 Chinese Ambassador to Peru Chiao Jo-yu holds National Day reception in Lima. (SCMP 73-42/157)

1 Chinese Ambassador to Pakistan Chang Tung holds National Day reception in Rawalpindi. (SCMP 73-42/68-69)

1 Liu Shu-ching, Chinese Ambassador to Poland, gives National Day reception in Warsaw. (SCMP 73-42/158)

1 Li Ting-chuang, Chinese Ambassador to Romania, gives National Day reception in Bucharest. (SCMP 73-42/69-70)

1 Huang Shih-hsieh, Chinese Ambassador to Rwanda, holds National Day reception in Kigali. (SCMP 73-42/233)

1 Wang Chin-chuan, Chinese Ambassador to Senegal, holds National Day reception in Dakar. (SCMP 73-42/160-161)

1 Chao Cheng-yi, Chinese Ambassador to Sierra Leone, holds National Day reception in Freetown. (SCMP 73-42/233-234)

1 Fan Tso-kai, Chinese Ambassador to Somalia, holds National Day reception in Mogadishu. (SCMP 73-42/162-163)

1 Liu Hsin-chuan, Chinese Ambassador to the Soviet Union, gives National Day reception in Moscow. (SCMP 73-42/72)

1 Chou Min, Charge d'Affaires ad Interim of the Chinese Embassy in Spain, holds National Day reception in Madrid. (SCMP 73-42/163)

1 Huang Ming, Chinese Ambassador to Sri Lanka, holds National Day reception in Colombo. (SCMP 73-42/72-73)

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1 Wang Lu-ming, Chinese Ambassador to Sweden, gives National Day reception in Stockholm. (SCMP 73-42/74)

1 Wang Chung-li, Consul-General of China in Geneva, gives National Day reception in Geneva. (SCMP 73-42/166)

1 Wei Pao-shan, Chinese Ambassador to Togo, holds National Day reception in Lome. (SCMP 73-42/167-168)

1 Hou Yeh-feng, Chinese Ambassador to Tunisia, holds National Day reception in Tunis. (SCMP 73-42/240)

1 Liu Chun, Chinese Ambassador to Turkey, gives National Day reception in Ankara. (SCMP 73-42/241)

1 The Chinese Delegation to the 28th Session of the UN General Assembly gives National Day reception at the Headquarters of the Chinese Permanent Mission to the United Nations. (SCMP 73-42/257-258)

1 Huang Chen, Chief, and Han Hsu, Deputy Chief, of the Liaison Office of the People's Republic of China in the United States of America, give National Day reception in Washington. (SCMP 73-42/172)

1 Chinese Ambassador to Viet Nam Wang Yu-ping gives National Day reception in Hanoi. (SCMP 73-42/80-81)

1 Chang Tsan-ming, Chinese Ambassador to the Yemen Arab Republic, holds National Day reception in Sanaa. (SCMP 73-42/265)

1 Tsui Chien, Chinese Ambassador to the People's Democratic Republic of Yemen, holds National Day reception in Aden. (SCMP 73-42/264)

1 Chang Hai-feng, Chinese Ambassador to Yugoslavia, gives National Day reception in Belgrade. (SCMP 73-42/86)

1 Li Chiang-fen, Chinese Ambassador to Zambia, gives National Day reception in Lusaka. (SCMP 73-42/267)

1 Jen-min Jih-pao editorial greets founding of Republic of Guinea-Bissau. (SCMP 73-41/178-179)

1 President Habyalimana Juvenal of Rwanda receives and has a friendly conversation with Chinese Ambassador to Rwanda Huang Shih-hsieh in Kigali. (SCMP 73-42/316)

1 Xhafer Spahiu, vice-chairman of the Council of Ministers of Albania, receives in Tirana the Chinese Athletic Team with Chu Chih-chuan as leader. (SCMP 73-42/36)

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1	Princess Norodom Botum Botha, daughter of Cambodian Head of State Samdech Norodom Sihanouk, and her children arrive in Peking from Phnom Penh via Paris. (SCMP 73-42/47)
1	National Photographic Art Exhibition opens in Peking. (SCMP 73-42/28-30)
1	National exhibition of serial pictures and traditional Chinese paintings opens in Peking. (SCMP 73-42/105-108)
1-6	Movement and activities of the table tennis delegation of Chinese compatriots from Taiwan province residing in Japan and the United States of America, in China. (SCMP73-42/292-293, 353-354)
1-10	Movement and activities of the Chinese Economic and Trade Friendship Delegation, led by Liu Hsi-wen, in Japan. (SCMP 73-42/303-304, 363-364; 73-43/37, 80-81, 84-86)
1-12	Movement and activities of Chadly Zouiten, President of the African Volleyball Federation, in China. (SCMP 73-42/115; 73-43/174)
1-Nov. 8	Movement and activities of the Chinese Football B Team led by Tsao Szu-hui in Albania. (SCMP 73-42/36, 295-296; 73-46/211; 73-47/20)
2	Roland Michener, Governor General of Canada, greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/124)
2	Henri Lopes, Prime Minister of the Congo, congratulates Premier Chou En-lai on China's National Day. (SCMP 73-43/77)
2	Gustav Heinemann, President of the Federal Republic of Germany, greets China's National Day. (SCMP 73-42/263)
2	Ahmed Hassan Al-Bakr, President of Iraq, greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/302)
2	Prince Souvanna Phouma, Premier of Laos, greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/146)
2	Senegalese President Leopold Sedar Senghor greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/317)
2	A Chinese Paper-Cut and Picture Exhibition, sponsored by the Austrian Research Institute on China opens in Vienna in celebration of the 24th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China. (SCMP 73-42/205)
2	Nepalese press warmly greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/309)

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2 Nepal-China Cultural Association greets Chinese National Day and anniversary of signing of Boundary Treaty between China and Nepal. (SCMP 73-42/310-311)

2 A public meeting to celebrate the 24th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China is held in Colombo under the sponsorship of the Sri Lanka-China Friendship Association. (SCMP 73-42/164)

2 Chiao Kuan-hua, chairman of the delegation of the People's Republic of China to the 28th session of the UN General Assembly, speaks at the plenary meeting of the UN General Assembly. (SCMP 73-42/242-256)

2-3 Chiao Kuan-hua, Chairman of the Chinese Delegation to the 28th session of the UN General Assembly and Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs, meets with leaders of the delegations of a number of countries to the UN General Assembly. (SCMP 73-42/258-259)

2 Hsu Hsiang-chien, Vice-Chairman of the Standing Committee of the National People's Congress, meets in Peking with the Friendship Visiting Group from Romania, led by Simion Dobrovici. (SCMP 73-42/158-159)

2 Chu Hsien-sung, Charge d'Affaires ad Interim of the Chinese Embassy in Upper Volta, leaves Peking for Ouagadougou. (SCMP 73-42/262)

2 Iranian Ambassador to China Abbas Aram gives a banquet in Peking on the occasion of the visit to China of Dr. M. Eghbal, Chairman of Board and General Director of the National Iranian Oil Company, and Mme. Eghbal. (SCMP 73-42/137)

2 Nigerian Ambassador to China M.A. Sanussi and his wife give a reception in Peking to celebrate the National Day of the Federal Republic of Nigeria. (SCMP 73-42/155-156)

2 The Central Committee of the Communist Party of Switzerland (M-L) greets Chinese Party Congress. (SCMP 73-43/197-198)

2 Celebrations are held in Pyongyang by the Central Committee of the Korea-China Friendship Association on the occasion of the 15th anniversary of the founding of the Korea-China and China-Korea Friendship Associations. (SCMP 73-42/142-143)

2 Valery Giscard d'Estaing, Minister of Economy and Finance of France, gives a luncheon in Paris for the Delegation of the China Council for the Promotion of International Trade led by Wang Yao-ting. (SCMP 73-42/216)

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2	Chinese compatriots from Taiwan province residing in Japan, the United States and the Federal Republic of Germany attend a forum in Peking organized by the United Front Work Department of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of China. (SCMP 73-42/112-114)
2	The Delegation of Young Activists of the General Council of Trade Unions of Japanese and the Independent Trade Unions Federation of Japan, led by Masaru Fukuda, leaves Peking to visit southern parts of China before going home. (SCMP 73-42/142)
2	Professor Zdenko Vitasovic, a maize breeding specialist from Yugoslavia, leaves Peking for home via Kwangchow. (SCMP 73-42/266)
2	A 14-member computer group of the Chinese Society of Electronics, led by Yen Pei-lin, leaves Peking for USA. (SCMP 73-42/173)
2	The Hupeh Provincial Football Team, led by Tsou Tso-sheng and Ma Chang-ching, leaves Peking for a friendly visit to Uganda and Zaire. (SCMP 73-42/171)
2-10	Movement and activities of the Delegation of the Japan-China Friendship Association (Orthodox), led by Seimin Miyazaki, in China. (SCMP 73-42/139-140; 73-43/38-39, 81)
2-18	Movement and activities of the Mexico City Amateur Youth Football Team, led by Salvador Albaniz, in China. (SCMP 73-42/151; 73-42/88-90, 192; 73-44/114-116)
2-15	Movement and activities of China's Tientsin Municipal Men's and Women's Volleyball Teams, led by Chang Chi-yao, in Japan. (SCMP 73-42/220-221, 361; 73-43/37; 73-44/73)
2-Nov. 7	Movement and activities of China's Kwangchow Acrobatic Troupe, led by Li Wei-ying, in Australia. (SCMP 73-44/106; 73-45/63, 167; 73-46/213)
3	Osvaldo Dorticos, President of the Republic of Cuba, and Fidel Castro, Prime Minister of the Revolutionary Government of Cuba, greet Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/211)
3	Mohammad Reza Pahlavi, Shahanshah of Iran, greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/218-219)
3	Prime Minister Michael Manley of Jamaica greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/139)
3	Pakistan President Chaudhry Fazal Elahi and Prime Minister Zulfikar Ali Bhutto greet Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/228-230)

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3 Sangoule Lamizana, President of Upper Volta, greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/322)

3 Chinese compatriots in Hong Kong, Macao celebrate National Day. (SCMP 73-42/200-201)

3 China and the United States announce the visit of Dr. Henry A. Kissinger to China from Oct. 26 through Oct. 29, 1973. (SCMP 73-42/171)

3 Teng Hsiao-ping, Chen Hsi-yu, Chiao Pei-hsin meet Delegation of Pakistan National Bank led by A. Jamil Nishtar. (SCMP 73-42/157)

3 Prime Minister of Canada Pierre Trudeau and his wife Margaret Trudeau invite Chang Wen-chin, Chinese Ambassador to Canada, and his wife Chang Yin, Counsellor of the Chinese Embassy, to lunch at his residence. (SCMP 73-42/209)

3 President Makarios of Cyprus receives and had a friendly conversation with Chinese Ambassador to Cyprus Tai Lu at the Presidential Palace in Nicosia. (SCMP 73-42/212)

3 Chiao Kuan-hua, Chairman of the Chinese Delegation to the 28th Session of the UN General Assembly and Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs, attends a banquet given in New York by Dr. Henry A. Kissinger, US Secretary of State and Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs. (SCMP 73-42/259)

3 Liao Cheng-chih, Lo Ching-chang, Ma Wen-po and Li Chin-teh meet and fete overseas Chinese and Taiwan compatriots residing in Japan. (SCMP 73-42/200)

3 Canadian Scientific Delegation gives farewell banquet in Peking. (SCMP 73-42/208)

3 Dr. M. Eghbal, Chairman of Board and General Managing Director of the National Iranian Oil Company, and Mrs. Eghbal and his party leave Peking on a visit to other parts of China before going home. (SCMP 73-42/138)

3 The Chinese People's Association for Friendship with Foreign Countries and the China-Korea Friendship Association give a film reception in Peking to celebrate the 15th anniversary of the founding of the Korea-China and China-Korea Friendship Associations. (SCMP 73-42/143)

3 Chinese Art Study Group, led by Lu Jen-min, leaves Peking for Albania. (SCMP 73-42/119)

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3	The 5-member Maori Visiting Group from New Zealand led by W. Wilson leaves Peking for a visit to Kwangchow before going home. (SCMP 73-42/154-155)
3	Chinese Party Workers Friendship Delegation, led by Li Ta-chang, Leaves Peking for Romania. (SCMP 73-42/159-160)
3	The 12-member Friendship Visiting Group from Romania led by Simion Dobrovici leaves Peking for home after concluding its friendly visit to China. (SCMP 73-42/159)
3	The Chinese Athletic Team led by Chu Chih-chuan leaves Tirana for home after concluding its visit to Albania. (SCMP 73-42/203)
3-17	Movement and activities of the Chinese Medical Delegation led by Tsou Chin, in Sweden. (SCMP 73-42/238; 73-44/118)
4	King Baudouin of Belgium greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/207)
4	Stanko Todorov, Chairman of the Council of Ministers of the People's Republic of Bulgaria, greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/207)
4	Indian Prime Minister Indira Gandhi greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/301)
4	Linden Forbes Burnham, Prime Minister of the Cooperative Republic of Guyana, greets China's National Day. (SCMP 73-42/217)
4	Maldivian President Amir Ibrahim Nasir and Prime Minister Ahmed Zaki greet Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/306)
4	Sirimavo R.D. Bandaranaike, Prime Minister of Sri Lanka, greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/318)
4	Abdu Rahman Al Eriani, President of the Republican Council of the Yemen Arab Republic, greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/265)
4	Chiao Kuan-hua, chairman of the Chinese delegation to the 28th session of the UN General Assembly and Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs, calls on Zairian President Mobutu Sese Seko at the United Nations. (SCMP 73-42/324)
4	Chin Li-sheng, Deputy Secretary-General of the Chinese Academy of Sciences, meets and fetes Olli V. Lounasmaa, director of low temperature of the Helsinki University of Technology, and his wife. (SCMP 73-42/299)

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4 Li Teh-sheng, Vice-Chairman of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of China, meets the Romanian Army Officer Vacationist Group led by Lieutenant General Gheorghe Logofatu. (SCMP 73-42/231-232)

4 Wu Yu-hsun, Vice-President of the Chinese Academy of Sciences, meets and fetes American chemist Linus Pauling, professor of Stanford University, and Mrs. Linus Pauling in China. (SCMP 73-42/321)

4 Yeh Chien-ying meets compatriots from Hong Kong and Macao. (SCMP 73-42/202)

4 Colonel Zdenek Buranda, Military Attache of the Czechoslovak Embassy in Peking, gives a cocktail party tomark the anniversary of the founding of the Czechoslovak People's Army. (SCMP 73-42/213)

4 Abdulhamid A. Albuaijan, Kuwaiti Ambassador to China, leaves his post for home. (SCMP 73-42/223)

4 NCNA releases an article, entitled, "Cheap Propaganda," denouncing Soviet revisionism. (SCMP 73-42/235-237)

4 The Canadian Scientific Delegation headed by Mrs. Jeanne Sauve, leaves Peking for home via Kwangchow. (SCMP 73-42/209)

4 The Delegation of the National Bank of Pakistan led by A. Jamil Nishtar leaves Peking for home. (SCMP 73-42/314)

4 The Delegation of the Provisional Revolutionary Government of the Republic of South Vietnam, led by Nguyen Huu Tho, leaves China for home. (SCMP 73-42/261-262)

4 The Chinese Szechwan Provincial Table Tennis Team with Ni Tse as its leader leaves Peking for friendly visits to Cameroon, Dahomey and Togo. (SCMP 73-42/296)

4-16 Movement and activities of the Delegation of the Mauritania-China Friendship Association led by Mohamed Ould Khattry Ould Sengane, in China. (SCMP 73-42/227, 307-308; 73-44/114)

4-13 Movement and activities of the New Zealand Trade Mission, led by J.A. Walding, in China. (SCMP 73-42/228, 311-313, 367; 73-43/44-45, 90, 193, 194)

4-21 Movement and activities of the Tanzanian Health Delegation led by A.H. Mwinyi, in China. (SCMP 73-42/238; 73-44/166-167, 205)

4-31 Movement and activities of the Friendship Delegation of Workers of the Chinese Communist Party, led by Li Ta-chang, in Romania. (SCMP 73-42/316; 73-45/130, 174; 73-46/41)

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4-13	Movement and activities of China's Hupeh Provincial Football Team, led by Tsou Tso-sheng, in Uganda. (SCMP 73-43/198-199; 73-44/119)
5	Italian President Giovanni Leone greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/302)
5	Libyan Prime Minister Abdel Salam Jalloud greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-43/43)
5	General Idi Amin Dada, President of the Republic of Uganda, greets Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/320)
5	The Communist Party of Britain (Marxist-Leninist) holds a meeting in London to celebrate the 24th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China. (SCMP 73-42/356)
5	Patriotic overseas Chinese celebrate Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-42/293-294)
5	Chinese Foreign Minister Chi Peng-fei writes to Inter-Governmental Maritime Consultative Organization. (SCMP 73-47/95)
5	Kuo Mo-jo, Wu Yu-hsun and Chou Pei-yuan meet and fete the Swiss Delegation of Scientists led by Professor A. Tissieres. (SCMP 73-42/319-320)
5	Kazimierz Mijal, General Secretary of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of Poland, greets Chinese Party Congress. (SCMP 73-42/314-315)
5	Aly Dioum, first Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Republic of Senegal to China, arrives in Peking. (SCMP 73-42/317)
5	Milojko Drulovic, new Yugoslav Ambassador to China, arrives in Peking. (SCMP 73-42/323)
5	Chiao Kuan-hua meets with foreign ministers of some countries to the UN General Assembly. (SCMP 73-42/376)
5	NCNA releases an article, entitled, "A Farce in United Nations." (SCMP 73-42/374-375)
5	Racism denounced at the Third Committee of the UN General Assembly. (SCMP 73-42/376-378)
5	James S. Duncan, former chairman of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario Province of Canada, and his wife leaves Peking for home. (SCMP 73-42/357)

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5 The men's basketball team of Chinese compatriots and students from Taiwan province now residing or studying in the United States leaves Peking for other parts of China. (SCMP 73-42/291-292)

5 Protocol on China's gratuitous supply of military equipment and materials to Vietnam in 1974 signed in Peking. (SCMP 73-42/322-323)

5-13 Movement and activities of French guests Jacques Duhamel, member of the National Assembly, Marcel Niquil, a deputy director of the Ministry of Industrial and Scientific Development, Jean Royer, President of the CEFAR, Daniel Schaal, leader of the French Exhibition Group, in China. (SCMP 73-42/358; 73-43/132, 189-190)

6 Premier Chou En-lai meets and has a cordial talk with Mr. Hsu Yi-chiao, former adviser to the Kuomintang Government Mission in Japan, and his wife Szu Kuei-chen, in Peking. (SCMP 73-42/352)

6 Chinese Foreign Minister Chi Peng-fei meets with Aly Dioum, first Senegal Ambassador to China. (SCMP 73-42/368)

6 Chinese Foreign Minister Chi Peng-fei meets with Milojko Drulovic, new Yugoslav Ambassador to China. (SCMP 73-42/379)

6 Wu Teh, Chairman of the Peking Municipal Committee, gives a banquet in honor of Teuvo Aura, Mayor of Helsinki, and his party. (SCMP 73-42/357-358)

6 The France-China Friendship Society holds a meeting in Paris to celebrate the 24th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China. (SCMP 73-42/359)

6 Jean Cuendet, Charge d'Affaires ad Interim of Swiss Embassy in Peking, and his wife give a banquet in Peking on the occasion of the visit to China of the Swiss Delegation of Scientists, headed by Prof. A. Tissieres. (SCMP 73-42/373)

6 Hua Kuo-feng and Sha Feng meet the Visiting Group of Agriculture Journalists fromJapan, led by Nobuo Danno, and answer their questions. (SCMP 73-42/360)

6 Jen Chien-hsin, observer sent by the Adjusters Division of the China Council for the Promotion of International Trade to attend the 7th Assembly of the International Association of European Adjusters, and two others leave Peking for Madrid. (SCMP 73-42/357)

6 Wu Yu-hsun meets and fetes Chinese-American scholar Professor Chang-yun Fan. (SCMP 73-42/378)

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6 A 4-member Chinese Aeronautics Visiting Group headed by Wang Hung-chang leaves Peking for Japan. (SCMP 73-42/361)

6 The visiting group of Chinese compatriots from Taiwan province residing in Japan with Chang Liao Fu-yuan as leader leaves Peking to visit other parts of China and see their relatives. (SCMP 73-42/353)

6 The delegation of the China Council for the Promotion of International Trade led by Wang Yao-ting leaves France for Switzerland. (SCMP 73-42/359-360)

6 A Chinese ocean shipping delegation headed by Chou Chiu-yen leaves Peking for Colombo to attend the first session of the China-Sri Lanka Joint Shipping Service Commission. (SCMP 73-42/372)

6 The Mexican Medical Delegation led by Miguel Jimenes Sanchez leaves Peking for a visit to southern China before going home. (SCMP 73-42/366)

6 The Romanian Army Officer Vacationist Group led by Lieutenant General Gheorghe Logofatu leaves Peking for home. (SCMP 73-42/368)

6-26 Movement and activities of the Chinese Art Study Group led by Lu Jen-min, in Albania. (SCMP 73-43/34; 73-45/115)

6-18 Movement and activities of Jose Garcia Cervantes, President of the Mexican Sports Federation, and his wife in China. (SCMP 73-42/366, 367; 73-43/88, 193; 73-44/114-116)

6-16 Movement and activities of the Delegation of the China Council for the Promotion of International Trade led by Wang Yao-ting in Switzerland. (SCMP 73-42/373; 73-44/79)

7 Chiao Kuan-hua, Chairman of the Chinese Delegation to the 28th Session of the UN General Assembly, gives a dinner in New York in honor of Kwon Min Jun, permanent observer of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea to the United Nations. (SCMP 73-43/40)

7 Lebanese Prime Minister Takieddine Solh receives Chinese Ambassador Hsu Ming in Beirut. (SCMP 73-43/87)

7 Liao Cheng-chih fetes visiting Japanese friends including Yoshimi Turui and other members of his party, and Seiichi Tagawa, member of the Lower House of the Diet of the Japanese Liberation Democratic Party (Giminto). (SCMP 73-42/362)

7 Chou Chien-jen, Vice-Chairman of the Standing Committee of the National People's Congress, fetes Hiloshi Masuda, professor of Kansai University, in Peking. (SCMP 73-43/36)

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7	Chinese-American physicists Dr. Chien-shiung Wu and Dr. [illegible]ia-liu Yuan arrive in Peking. (SCMP 73-42/379)
7	NCNA releases an article, entitled, "Concoction or Fact?" denouncing the Soviet Union. (SCMP 73-42/369-372)
7	The exhibition of ancient and contemporary Chinese prints held at the Museum of Art and History of Fribourg in Fribourg, Switzerland, closes. (SCMP 73-43/47)
7-25	Movement and activities of the Korean Railway Delegation led by Kang Bong Kun, Minister of Railway, in China. (SCMP 73-42/364-365; 73-43/41; 73-44/37; 73-45/72-73)
7-24	The Chinese Aeronautics Visiting Group headed by Wang Hung-chang visits Japan. (SCMP 73-45/67)
7	The Table Tennis Delegation of Chinese compatriots from Taiwan province residing in Japan, led by Huang Wen-chin, returns to Tokyo. (SCMP 73-43/29)
7	The first consignment of 4,000 tons of grain donated by the Chinese Red Cross Society to the drought-affected people of the Republic of Chad is shipped in Lagos, Nigeria, by the Chinese freighter "Chao Yang." (SCMP 73-43/188)
7-15	Movement and activities of China's Szechwan Provincial Table Tennis Team, led by Ni Tse, in Cameroon. (SCMP 73-43/177; 73-44/30-31, 156)
8	Jen-min Jih-pao commentator supports Egypt, Syria in their resistance to Israeli military aggression. (SCMP 73-43/31-33)
8	Foreign Minister Chi Peng-fei most sternly condemns Israeli aggression and voices firm support for Arab and Palestinian peoples. (SCMP 73-43/30-31)
8	Chiao Kuan-hua meets Egyptian Foreign Minister Mohammed El-Zayyat in New York. (SCMP 73-43/79)
8	China supports Arab people's resistance to Israeli aggression at UN Security Council Meeting. (SCMP 73-43/95-97)
8	Kurt Waldheim, Secretary-General of the United Nations, gives a luncheon in honor of Chiao Kuan-hua, Chairman of the Chinese Delegation to the 28th Session of the UN General Assembly. (SCMP 73-43/97-98)
8	President Anwar Sadat of Egypt receives and has a friendly conversation with Chai Tse-min, Chinese Ambassador to Egypt. (SCMP 73-43/79)

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8	Finnish Ambassador to China Veli Helenius and his wife give a banquet in Peking for the visit of Teuvo Aura, Mayor of Helsinki, and his party. (SCMP 73-43/35)
8	Pierre Elliott Trudeau, Prime Minister of Canada, and Mrs. Margaret Trudeau leave Ottawa on an official visit to China. (SCMP 73-43/72)
8	Johann Wittik, Ambassador of the German Democratic Republic to China, and his wife give a cocktail party in Peking to mark the 24th anniversary of the founding of the GDR. (SCMP 73-43/35)
8	Ali Barraud, Acting Foreign Minister of Upper Volta, receives Chu Hsien-sung, Charge d'Affaires ad Interim of the Chinese Embassy in Upper Volta. (SCMP 73-43/146)
8	The 93rd Session of the UNESCO Executive Board adopts a resolution urging the expulsion of representatives of the Chiang Kai-shek clique. (SCMP 73-43/93-95)
8-13	The 22nd Mannheim International Film Week is held in Mannheim, West Germany. The Chinese documentaries "Class of Traditional Chinese Boxing and Fencing of the Peking Sparetime Physical Culture Institute," "Celebrating May Day" and "Investigation of 2,100-Year-Old Dead Body" are shown. (SCMP 73-44/42)
8	The Chinese films "The Red Detachment of Women" and "A 2,100-Year-Old Tomb Excavated" are shown at the Second Thessaloniki International Film Festival in Salonika, Greece. (SCMP 73-43/133)
8	The Paintings Exhibition of the People's Republic of China closes in Pyongyang. (SCMP 73-43/42)
8	The basketball team of Chinese compatriots and students from Taiwan province now residing or studying in the United States leaves Tientsin for southern China. (SCMP 73-43/27-28)
8	The Romanian National Women's Volleyball Team led by Balita Cornel Leaves Shenyang for Peking. (SCMP 73-43/45)
8-19	Movement and activities of Jean-Claude Ganga, Secretary-General of the Supreme Council for Sport in Africa, and his party in China. (SCMP 73-43/33-34, 174, 193; 73-44/150)
8-23	Lloyd G. Reynolds, Economist of Yale University of the United States, and his party visits China at the invitation of Nankai University of Tientsin. (SCMP 73-45/38)
8-17	Movement and activities of Lieutenant-General Carl Eric Almgren, Commander of the Swedish Army, and his wife in China. (SCMP 73-43/46, 93, 142-143; 73-44/40, 117-118)

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9	Marien Ngouabi, President of the Congo, congratulates Chairman Mao Tse-tung on China's National Day. (SCMP 73-43/78)
9	Chou En-lai and Liao Cheng-chih meet Yoshimi Furui, Seiichi Tagawa and other Japanese friends. (SCMP 73-43/38)
9	Aly Dioum, Senegal's first Ambassador to China, presents his credentials to Tung Pi-wu, Acting Chairman of the People's Republic of China. (SCMP 73-43/92)
9	Milojko Drulovic, new Yugoslav Ambassador to China, presents his credentials to Tung Pi-wu, Acting Chairman of the People's Republic of China. (SCMP 73-43/99)
9	Chiao Kuan-hua, Chairman of the Chinese Delegation to the 28th Session of the UN General Assembly, gives a banquet at the United Nations in honor of representatives from some Asian and Oceanian countries to the current UN General Assembly. (SCMP 73-43/98)
9	Teuvo Aura, Mayor of Helsinki, Finland, and his party leave Peking to visit Nanking, Shanghai and Kwangchow before going home. (SCMP 73-43/36)
9	An agreement on the border railway transportation between the Chinese Ministry of Communications and the Korean Ministry of Railway is signed in Peking. (SCMP 73-43/41)
9	A trade agreement between the Governments of China and New Zealand is signed in Peking. (SCMP 73-43/44)
9	A French exhibition on measuring and scientific instruments opens in Peking. (SCMP 73-43/79-80)
9-14	Movement and activities of an eight-member Japanese Dietman Group of the Committee for Foreign Affairs of the House of Representatives led by Katsushi Fujii, in China. (SCMP 73-43/39, 134, 136, 190; 73-44/35)
9-15	Movement and activities of Yoshinori Maeda and Yoshisada Ichinomiya, permanent honorary advisers to the Japan Broadcasting Corporation, in China. (SCMP 73-43/86, 136-137; 73-44/36)
9-Nov. 10	Movement and activities of the Jen-min Jih-pao delegation, led by Lu Ying, in Korea. (SCMP 73-43/40-41, 138-139; 73-44/162-163; 73-46/220-221; 73-47/74-75)
10	Jen-min Jih-pao editorial warmly welcomes Canadian Prime Minister Trudeau to visit China. (SCMP 73-43/75-77)

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10 Canadian Prime Minister Pierre Elliott Trudeau and Mrs. Trudeau arrive in Peking. (SCMP 73-43/72-74)

10 Premier Chou En-lai and Canadian Prime Minister Pierre Elliott Trudeau hold talks in Peking. (SCMP 73-43/75)

10-17 Movement and activities of Canadian Prime Minister Pierre Elliott Trudeau and Mrs. Trudeau and his party in China. (SCMP 73-43/72-77, 121-129, 178-187; 73-44/31-34, 69-71)

10 Chiao Kuan-hua fetes representatives of some African countries to the 28th Session of the UN General Assembly. (SCMP 73-43/145)

10 Mohammad Osman Sidky, Afghan Ambassador to China, leaves his post for home. (SCMP 73-43/71)

10 Hyun Jun Keuk, Korean Ambassador to China, gives a cocktail party and film show at the Embassy in Peking to celebrate the 28th anniversary of the founding of the Korean Workers' Party. (SCMP 73-43/87)

10 President of Equatorial Guinea F. Macias Nguema visits China's Photo Exhibition in Bata. (SCMP 73-45/65)

10 Liu Hsiang-ping and Ting Hsueh-sung meet Florida Mercado and Nelly Mercado, mother and younger sister of the Peruvian Prime Minister Jarrin Mercado, who are on a visit to China. (SCMP 73-43/91)

10 An 11-member friendship medical study delegation of the Chinese Medical Association led by Associate Professor Sun Chin-cheng leaves Peking for Japan. (SCMP 73-43/82)

10 Chinese Broadcasting and Television Delegation led by Lu Ke-chin leaves Peking for Japan. (SCMP 73-43/85)

10 Yoshimi Furui and his party and Seiichi Tagawa, member of the Lower House of the Diet of the Japanese Liberal Democratic Party (Giminto), and his party give a farewell banquet in Peking. (SCMP 73-43/82-83)

10 The delegation of the Japan-China Cultural Exchange Association led by Torao Miyagawa leaves China for home. (SCMP 73-43/81-82, 83)

10 K.W. Pearson, First Assistant Secretary of the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet of Australia, and his party leaves Peking for home. (SCMP 73-43/71)

10 Ion Salisteanu, Vice-President of the Romanian Union of Plastic Artists, and Sculptor Gavril Covalschi leave Peking for home. (SCMP 73-43/142)

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10	The Romanian Journalists' Delegation led by Ion Cumpanasu leaves Peking for home after a friendly visit to China. (SCMP 73-43/141)
10	The Romanian National Women's Volleyball Team led by Balita Cornel winds up its friendly visit to China and leaves Peking for home. (SCMP 73-43/92)
10-25	Movement and activities of the Chinese Sports Delegation, led by Li Meng-hua, in Japan. (SCMP 73-43/81, 135-136; 73-45/68, 69-70)
10-Nov. 1	Movement and activities of the Japanese Men's and Women's Volleyball Delegation, led by Yuji Sakamoto, in China. (SCMP 73-43/135, 137-138; 73-44/73-75, 109; 73-45/121; 73-46/83-84)
10-Nov. 4	The Friendship Medical Study Delegation of the Chinese Medical Association led by Associate Professor Sun Chin-cheng visits Japan. (SCMP 73-46/129-130)
11	Chinese Premier Chou En-lai and Canadian Prime Minister Pierre Elliott Trudeau continue talks. (SCMP 73-43/127-128)
11	Premier Chou En-lai gives grand banquet to warmly welcome Canadian Prime Minister and Mrs. Trudeau. Premier Chou and Prime Minister Trudeau speak at the banquet. (SCMP 73-43/121-127)
11	Chinese Premier Chou En-lai meets with Egyptian Ambassador to China Salah El-Abd and Syrian Ambassador to China Jabr Al-Atrache on separate occasions in Peking. He asks the ambassadors to forward his messages of support to President Anwar El Sadat and President Hafez El Assad. (SCMP 73-43/130-132, 143-144)
11	Chiao Kuan-hua gives a banquet at the United Nations in honor of Foreign Ministers and representatives of some Arab countries to the 28th Session of the UN General Assembly. (SCMP 73-43/199-200)
11	Foreign nationalist and mass organizations, political leaders, and friends greet Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-43/147)
11	Marxist-Leninist parties and organizations greet Chinese National Day. (SCMP 73-43/147-148)
11-20	Movement and activities of Rudolph A. Peterson, administrator of the United Nations Development Program, and Mrs. Peterson, Rajendra Comaraswamy, assistant administrator and director of the Bureau of Asia and Far East, John Olver, assistant administrator, and Mrs. Olver, in China. (SCMP 73-43/146, 200; 73-44/41, 80-81, 167)

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11 The Visiting Delegation of the Research School of Pacific Studies of the Australian National University led by Prof. Donald Anthony Low leaves Peking to visit Shanghai and Kwangchow before going home. (SCMP 73-43/121)

11 The Chinese Unearthed Relics Exhibition Delegation, led by Wang Yeh-chiu, leaves Britain for home. (SCMP 73-43/176)

12 Chinese Premier Chou En-lai and Canadian Prime Minister Pierre Elliott Trudeau hold talks again. (SCMP 73-43/129)

12 Peking press circles gives a luncheon in Peking in honor of the press corps which accompanies Canadian Prime Minister Pierre Elliott Trudeau on his China visit. (SCMP 73-43/130)

12 Chiao Kuan-hua calls on President Sangoule Lamizana of Upper Volta and gives a dinner in honor of Kurt Waldheim, Secretary-General of the United Nations. (SCMP 73-43/200)

12 Dieudonne Itoua, new Congolese Ambassador to China arrives in Peking. (SCMP 73-43/188)

12 Colonel Antoni Aponowicz, Military Attache of the Polish Embassy in Peking, gives a cocktail party in Peking to mark the anniversary of the founding of the Polish People's Army. (SCMP 73-43/195)

12 Gerard Kango Ouedraogo, Acting President and Prime Mininster of the Republic of Upper Volta, receives Chu Hsien-sung, Charge d'Affaires ad Interim of the Chinese Embassy in Upper Volta. (SCMP 73-44/42)

12 Jen-min Jih-pao carries an editorial entitled "Warm Greetings to the Glorious Day of the Lao People." (SCMP 73-43/139-140)

12 The Chinese People's Association for Friendship with Foreign Countries and the China-Laos Friendship Association gives a reception in Peking to mark the 28th anniversary of the independence day of Laos. (SCMP 73-43/140-141)

12 The Marxist-Leninist Organization of Political Refugees from Greece warmly greets the convening of the 10th National Congress of the Communist Party of China. (SCMP 73-43/133-134)

12 The Chinese Delegation led by Wang Yeh-chiu and Hsia Nai returns to Peking after paying a visit to Britain. (SCMP 73-43/177)

12 The 1973 National Shooting Invitational Tournament opens in Peking. (SCMP 73-43/116)

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12-Nov. 10	Movement and activities of Swedish friendly personage Ingrid Segerstedt Wiberg, member of the executive council of the World Federation of the United Nations Associations, president of the Swedish Association for United Nations and political editor of the "Goteborgs-Posten," in China. (SCMP 73-43/197; 73-46/236; 73-47/84)
13	Chairman Mao Tse-tung meets with Canadian Prime Minister Pierre Elliott Trudeau at Chungnaihai, Peking. (SCMP 73-43/178)
13	Canadian Prime Minister Trudeau gives a grand reciprocal banquet in Peking. He speaks at the banquet. Premier Chou En-lai also proposes a toast at the banquet. (SCMP 73-43/178-183)
13	Canadian Prime Minister Pierre Elliott Trudeau holds a press conference in Peking. (SCMP 73-43/183-185)
13	A trade agreement between the Governments of China and Canada is signed in Peking. (SCMP 73-43/186-187)
13	Chiao Kuan-hua gives a dinner in New York in honor of the Albanian delegation to the 28th Session of the UN General Assembly. (SCMP 73-44/30)
13	Li Shui-ching, Chinese Minister of the First Ministry of Machine Building, visits the French measuring and scientific instruments exhibition in Peking. (SCMP 73-43/189)
13	A Chinese Government Delegation led by Sun So-chang leaves Peking for Argentina to negotiate on a Sino-Argentine trade agreement. (SCMP 73-43/175)
13	Jen Pu-chai, Acting President of the Architectural Society of China, meets and fetes Canadian architects Arthur Erickson, Moshe Safdie and Mrs. Safdie, and Francisco Kripacz. (SCMP 73-43/187)
13	The 6-member delegation of the Mexican Ministry of Public Education and the Oaxaca Institute of Social Investigation and Integration led by Gloria Ruiz de Bravo Ahaja leaves Peking to visit southern parts of China before going home. (SCMP 73-43/191-192)
13	A Chinese Ice-Hockey Team with Liu Chiang as its leader leaves Peking for friendly visits to Norway, Finland and Denmark. (SCMP 73-43/194)
13	A pictorial exhibition of archaeological finds in China jointly sponsored by the Chinese Embassy and the Sri Lanka National Museum is opened in Colombo. (SCMP 73-43/196)
13-21	China's 1973 National Gymnastics and Acro-Gymnastics Tournament is held in Kunming, Yunnan Province. (SCMP 73-45/59)

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13-30 Movement and activities of the Chinese Broadcasting and Television Delegation led by Lu Ke-chin, in Japan. (SCMP 73-44/36; 73-46/39)

13-Nov. 7 Movement and activities of the Joint Delegation of the State Bank of Albania and the Savings Insurance Bureau, headed by Haxhire Brahja, in China. (SCMP 73-43/175; 73-46/162, 210)

13-24 Movement and activities of the Romanian Army Medical Delegation led by Major General Alexandru Augustin, in China. (SCMP 73-43/195-196; 73-44/164, 205; 73-45/33)

13-26 Movement and activities of China's Hupeh Provincial Football Team, led by Tsou Tso-sheng, in Zaire. (SCMP 73-44/123; 73-46/179-180)

14 Chin Li-sheng, Deputy Secretary General of the Chinese Academy of Sciences, meets and fetes Albanian scientists, Associate Professors Dhori Kote and Stavri Buri of Tirana University. (SCMP 73-44/29)

14-25 Movement and activities of the Government Trade Delegation from the Co-Operative Republic of Guyana, led by George King, in China. (SCMP 73-44/200, 201-202; 73-45/26-27, 66)

14-31 Movement and activities of the Japanese Worker-Activists' Delegation from Minamisorachi region, Hokkaido, Japan, with Haruo Okada as its adviser and Terumitsu Onuma as its leader, in China. (SCMP 73-44/37, 160; 73-46/40)

15 Premier Chou En-lai and NPC Vice Chairman Kuo Mo-jo meet and fete Chinese-American physicists Dr. Chien-shiung Wu and Dr. Chia-liu Yuan. (SCMP 73-44/41)

15 Foreign Minister Chi Peng-fei meets in Peking with Dieudonne Itoua, new Congolese Ambassador to China. (SCMP 73-44/71)

15 Chiao Kuan-hua meets with George Macovescu, Chairman of the Romanian Delegation and Foreign Minister, and gives a dinner in honor of the Egyptian Delegation. (SCMP 73-44/80)

15 Korean Vice-Premier Choe Jae U receives in Pyongyang the Chinese friendship visitors' group with Juan Ying-sheng as leader. (SCMP 73-44/38)

15 Vice-Minister of Public Health Huang Shu-tse meets and fetes noted Peruvian neuro-surgeon Prof. Esteban Rocca and his wife. (SCMP 73-44/39)

15 Liao Cheng-chih, President of the China-Japan Friendship Association, meets with the delegation of the Hokkaido Development Agency, led by Sadao Tanaka. (SCMP 73-44/36)

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15 Jen-min Jih-pao carries an editorial entitled "The Arab People's Cause against Aggression Is Invincible." (SCMP 73-44/27-28)

15 China publishes Comrade Enver Hoxha's report at 4th plenum of 6th APL Central Committee. (SCMP 73-44/68)

15 The Mexican Tourist Group of the Association of Friends of People's China led by Mrs. Virgina Chapa de Salinas, president of the Association, leaves Peking for a visit to East China before going home. (SCMP 73-44/38)

15 Commercial attaches and personnel of various embassies in Peking and their wives visit Nanking, Wuhsi and Soochow of Kiangsu province in groups. (SCMP 73-44/29)

15 China's 1973 Autumn Export Commodities Fair opens in Kwangchow. (SCMP 73-44/15-16)

15-23 The Chinese Ice-Hockey Team visits Norway. (SCMP 73-45/29-30)

15-24 Movement and activities of Francesco Malgeri, chairman, and Sergio Lepri, chief editor, of the Agenzia Anzionale Stampa Associata, and their wives in China. (SCMP 73-44/72; 73-45/67)

15-25 Movement and activities of the Delegation of the Peruvian National System of Support for Social Mobilization, led by Carlos Delgado, in China. (SCMP 73-44/39, 77, 116, 204; 73-45/82, 83)

15-26 Movement and activities of China's Szechwan Provincial Table Tennis Team, led by Ni Tse, in Dahomey. (SCMP 73-45/24-25, 170)

16 Chinese representative Huang Hua speaks at the General Steering Committee meeting of the UN General Assembly. (SCMP 73-44/120-121)

16 Vietnamese Premier Pham Van Dong stops over in Peking on way to visit other countries. (SCMP 73-44/81)

16 Minister of Public Health Liu Hsiang-ping meets with the Malaysia Medical Association Delegation, led by R.P. Pillay. (SCMP 73-44/75)

16 Yen Chun, a leading member of the Ministry of Public Health, meets and fetes the Norwegian Medical Delegation led by Prof. Birger Nygard Ostby. (SCMP 73-44/76-77)

16 Yugoslav Fine Arts Exhibition opens in Peking. (SCMP 73-44/82)

16 The Chinese Ocean Shipping Delegation headed by Chou Chiu-yen leaves Colombo for home. (SCMP 73-44/78)

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16 A ceremony for handing over 8,000 tons of grain donated by the Red Cross Society of China to Mali is held in Bamako. (SCMP 73-44/113)

16-Nov. 3 Movement and activities of the Chinese Government Delegation, led by Sun So-chang, in Argentina. (SCMP 73-44/105, 152-153; 73-46/117)

17 Chiao Kuan-hua gives a banquet in honor of Mohamed Zakaria Ismail, Syrian Deputy Foreign Minister, Haissam Kelani, Permanent Representative to the United Nations, and Rafic Jouejati. (SCMP 73-44/119)

17 Canadian Prime Minister Pierre Elliott Trudeau, Mrs. Trudeau and the other Canadian guests wind up their official visit to China and leave Peking for home via Kwangchow. Upon his departure from China, the Prime Minister sends a message to Premier Chou En-lai. (SCMP 73-44/70-71)

17 Dieudonne Itoua, new Congolese Ambassador to China, presents his credentials to Chu Teh, Chairman of the Standing Committee of the National People's Congress. (SCMP 73-44/72)

17 Chin Chao, Deputy Director of the Central Broadcasting Administration, hosts a reception in Peking in honor of Charles Moses, Secretary-General of the Asian Broadcasting Union. (SCMP 73-44/106)

17 Salem Robaya Ali, Presidential Council Chairman of the People's Democratic Republic of Yemen, receives Chinese Ambassador Tsui Chien at the Presidency. (SCMP 73-44/171)

17 The basketball team of Chinese compatriots and students from Taiwan province now residing or studying in the United States visits Shanghai. (SCMP 73-44/103-104)

17-29 The Chinese Medical Delegation headed by Tsou Chin visits Austria. (SCMP 73-45/117, 208)

17 The Albanian Friendship Visiting Group led by Spiro Cavo leaves Peking for home. (SCMP 73-44/68)

17 The delegation of agricultural investigation from Cuba, led by Luis E. Borges, leaves Peking for home. (SCMP 73-44/107)

17 The delegation of the Yugoslav Red Cross Society leaves Peking to tour Shanghai and Hangchow before going home. (SCMP 73-44/82-83)

17 The 41st issue of "Revolutionary Fighters," theoretical journal of the Central Committee of the Japanese Communist Party (Left), carries documents of the 10th National Congress of the Communist Party of China, together with a foreword by the journal's editorial committee. (SCMP 73-44/110-111)

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17 A concert is held at the Kanagawa Prefectural Musical Hall to commemorate the anniversary of normalization of Japan-China diplomatic relations. (SCMP 73-44/109-110)

17 A two-week photo exhibition "Eight Days in the People's Republic of China" is inaugurated in Paris. The photos were taken by the French newsmen who had visited China last September with French President Georges Pompidou. (SCMP 73-44/108)

17-21 A photo exhibition on China's achievements in socialist construction is held in Tunis under the joint sponsorship of Tunisia's National Committee of Culture and the Chinese Embassy in Tunis. (SCMP 73-45/34)

18 Mohammad Anwar El Sadat, President of Egypt, sends a message of thanks to Premier Chou En-lai, expressing heartfelt thanks for the firm stand taken by the Chinese Government and the Chinese people in support of the Arab people in their battle against aggression. (SCMP 73-44/158-159)

18 Chen Chao-yuan, first Chinese Ambassador to Spain, presents his credentials to Francisco Franco Bahamonde, Chief of State of Spain, in Madrid (SCMP 73-44/117)

18 Hsieh Hua, a leading member of the Ministry of Public Health, meets and fetes Australian medical scientists Dr. Maurice Sainsbury, Prof. D. Joseph and Associate Prof. J.G. Mcleod, in Peking. (SCMP 73-44/107)

18 Yen Chun, a leading member of the Chinese Medical Association, meets and fetes Dr. David Sussmann, Honorary President of the Argentine Acupuncture Society, and his wife. (SCMP 73-44/105)

18 Kuo Mo-jo meets Japanese paediatrician Dr. Motonobu Furukawa in Peking. (SCMP 73-44/108)

18-23 Diplomatic envoys and officials of 47 countries in China and their wives visit Kweilin, Changsha and Shaoshan at the invitation of the Chinese Foreign Ministry. (SCMP 73-45/25)

18 The Chinese Scientific and Technical Cooperation Delegation leaves Peking for Pyongyang to attend the 14th Session of the China-Korea Committee for Scientific and Technical Cooperation. (SCMP 73-44/112)

18 A seven-member Chinese architects' delegation, led by Liu Yi-hsin, leaves Peking for Korea on a friendly visit. (SCMP 73-44/112)

18 The Friendship Delegation of US-China People's Friendship Association of Los Angeles, with Ethel Pass as its leader, leaves Peking for home. (SCMP 73-44/122)

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18	China's 1973 National Weightlifting Championships closes at the East China city of Lienyunkang. (SCMP 73-44/101-103)
18-29	Movement and activities of the Students' Delegation from the University of Veracruz, Mexico, in China. (SCMP 73-45/76, 77, 212)
18-Nov. 8	Movement and activities of the Sudanese National Men's Basketball Team led by Ahmed Ali Osman and Hamid Ibraheem Atabani in China. (SCMP 73-44/164-166; 73-46/42, 87; 73-47/37)
19	Chiao Kuan-hua attends a luncheon given by Her Imperial Highness Princess Ashraf Pahlavi, chairman of the Iranian delegation to the 28th Session of the UN General Assembly, in honor of the Chinese delegation. (SCMP 73-44/160)
19	Canadian Prime Minister Pierre Elliott Trudeau and Mrs. Margaret Trudeau returns to Ottawa from China visit. The Prime Minister speaks on his China tour in the Canadian House of Commons. (SCMP 73-44/157-158)
19	Argentine President Juan Domingo Peron and Vice-President Maria Estela Martinez de Peron receive Cheng Wei-chih, Chinese Special Envoy to the inauguration of the Argentine President and Vice-President, at Government House in Buenos Aires. (SCMP 73-44/152-153)
19	The French Measuring and Scientific Instruments Exhibition closes in Peking. (SCMP 73-44/159)
19	A ceremony of the interment of the ashes of Mr. Edgar Snow, a friend of the Chinese people and well-known American author, is held in Peking. (SCMP 73-44/168-170)
19	A mutual supply of goods and payment agreement for 1974 between the Governments of China and Viet Nam, a protocol on China supplying Viet Nam with general goods in 1974 and a protocol on China providing Viet Nam with aid in the form of complete projects are signed in Peking. (SCMP 73-44/171)
19-24	Movement and activities of Peruvian Vice-Minister of Fisheries Pedro Mazure Lopez and his wife in China. (SCMP 73-44/163; 73-45/82)
19-Nov. 7	Movement and activities of the Chinese Scientific and Technical Cooperation Delegation, led by Sun Hsiao-feng, in Korea. (SCMP 73-44/161; 73-46/166-167, 220)
20	Vice-Foreign Minister Ho Ying meets the diplomatic envoys and diplomatic officials of the embassies of the Arab countries in China and head of the mission of Palestine Liberation Organization in Peking. (SCMP 73-44/150-151)

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20 Vietnamese Vice-Minister of Foreign Trade Nguyen Chanh and his party leave Peking to visit Shanghai before going home. (SCMP 73-44/206)

20 The Trade Delegation from Burundi arrives in Peking for a friendly visit after taking part in the Autumn Export Commodities Fair in Kwangchow. (SCMP 73-44/153-154)

20 A six-member delegation of the People's Insurance Company of China led by Keng Tao-ming, general manager of the company, leaves Peking for a friendly visit to Japan. (SCMP 73-44/161)

20 A friendship group of the China Travel and Tourism Administrative Bureau led by Cheng Chih-ping leaves Peking to tour Albania and Romania. (SCMP 73-44/198)

20 Friendly Canadian personage Chester Alvin Ronning and his party wind up their friendly visit to China and leave Peking for home. (SCMP 73-44/158)

20 Some members of the basketball team of Chinese compatriots and students from Taiwan province now residing or studying in the United States wind up their visit in Hangchow and leave for Kwangchow. (SCMP 73-44/149)

20 Chinese Red Cross Society donates medicines to drought-stricken Mali people. (SCMP 73-44/203)

21 The UN Security Council meets to discuss the draft resolution on the Middle East Question abruptly tabled by the US, USSR superpowers. (SCMP 73-45/35-37)

21 Jen-min Jih-pao carries an article entitled "The Lon Nol Clique Should Be Expelled from UN." (SCMP 73-44/154-155)

21 David Arthur Singh, first Ambassador of Guyana to China, arrives in Peking. (SCMP 73-44/201)

21 The Norwegian Medical Delegation led by Prof. Birger Nygard Ostby leaves Peking for home via Kwangchow. (SCMP 73-45/30)

21 Professor Esteban Rocca, Peruvian neuro-surgeon, and his wife leave Peking to tour southern China before going home. (SCMP 73-45/83)

21 Professor Jean Coulomb, President of the International Council of Scientific Unions, and his party leave Peking for south China. (SCMP 73-44/199-200)

21 A Chinese port friendship delegation led by Li Hua-pin leaves Peking for Japan. (SCMP 73-44/202-203)

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21	The New Zealand Doctors' and Academics' Touring Party of the New Zealand-China Society leaves Peking for a visit to Shanghai and Hangchow before going home. (SCMP 73-44/204)
21-Nov. 1	R.J. Schneider, Director of the Swiss Meteorological Institute, and his wife visit China. (SCMP 73-46/88)
21	Chinese Red Cross Society donates 5,000 tons of wheat to the Yemen Arab Republic. (SCMP 73-44/206)
21-25	Movement and activities of the Trade Delegation from Burundi, led by Longin Kanuma, in China. (SCMP 73-44/153-154, 198-199; 73-45/64-65)
21-31	Movement and activities of Van Oorschot, general director of the Ministry of Economic Affairs of the Netherlands, in China. (SCMP 73-44/203; 73-46/41)
21-Nov. 3	Movement and activities of the Friendship Delegation of the All-Japan Council of Transport and Communications Workers Unions, led by Toshifumi Akamine, in China. (SCMP 73-44/202; 73-46/128)
22	A photo exhibition of historical relics unearthed in new China is displayed at the Chinese Embassy in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia. (SCMP 73-45/25)
22-28	An exhibition introducing China is held in Geneva. (SCMP 73-45/220)
22-Nov. 3	Movement and activities of Klaus von Dohnany, Minister of Education and Science of the Federal Republic of Germany, and his wife and accompanying experts, in China. (SCMP 73-45/40, 91; 73-46/91, 139)
23	Chinese Foreign Minister Chi Peng-fei meets David Arthur Singh, first Guyanese Ambassador to China. (SCMP 73-45/26)
23	Chinese Vice-Foreign Minister Chiao Kuan-hua speaks at the UN Security Council on the so-called supervision of ceasefire in the Middle East. (SCMP 73-45/85-88)
23	Chinese permanent representative to the UN Huang Hua repudiates Malik at UN Security Council. (SCMP 73-45/88-90)
23	NCNA releases an article on the superpowers stepping up contention and collusion in Middle East and plotting "ceasefire in place." (SCMP 73-45/77-79)
23	Major General Kim Poong Sop gives a banquet at Kaesong on the occasion of the 23rd anniversary of the entry of the Chinese People's Volunteers into the Korean War. (SCMP 73-45/29)

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23	Korean Party and Government leading members lay a wreath at the Monument of the Fallen Heroes of the Chinese People's Volunteers in Hoechang County, South Pyongan Province. (SCMP 73-45/28)
23	The Chinese Ministry of National Defense holds a report meeting in Peking to celebrate the 29th anniversary of the Romanian Army Day. (SCMP 73-45/30-32)
23	Somali Ambassador to China Ahmed Mohamed Darman and his wife give a reception in Peking on the occasion of the 4th anniversary of the "October 21 Revolution" of the Somali Democratic Republic. (SCMP 73-45/33)
23	Hsieh Pang-chih, first Chinese Ambassador to Upper Volta, leaves Peking for his post. (SCMP 73-45/40)
23	Australian guests, Dr. Maurice Sainsbury, Prof. D. Joseph and Prof. J.G. Mcleod, leave Peking to visit southern Chinese cities before going home. (SCMP 73-45/24)
23	Yu Wang, Chinese observer to attend the 17th session of the United Nations Population Commission, and advisers Chen Chia-chen and Lei Hai-ping leave Peking for Geneva. (SCMP 73-45/38)
23	Mu Ching, deputy director of the Hsinhua News Agency, leave Peking for a friendly visit to Turkey and Yugoslavia. (SCMP 73-45/34)
23-31	The Chinese Ice-Hockey Team visits Finland. (SCMP 73-46/82)
24	David Arthur Singh, first Guyanese Ambassador to China, presents his credentials to Chu Teh, Chairman of the Standing Committee of the Chinese National People's Congress. (SCMP 73-45/27)
24	NCNA releases an announcement on the postponement of Dr. Henry A. Kissinger's visit to China. (SCMP 73-45/38)
24-Nov. 6	Representatives of the countries of the Third World speak at meetings of the 4th Committee of the UN General Assembly, denouncing South African authorities' repression of Namibian people. (SCMP 73-47/39-42)
24	A.S. Mweemba, Charge d'Affaires ad Interim of the Zambian Embassy in Peking, and his wife give a reception in Peking to celebrate the 9th anniversary of the independence of the Republic of Zambia. (SCMP 73-45/92)
24	Kuo Mo-jo, Wu Yu-hsun, Chou Jung-hsin and Chou Pei-yuan meet and fete Chinese-Born American scientist Prof. Chia-chiao Lin who is visiting relatives in Peking. (SCMP 73-45/39)

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24 Chin Li-sheng, deputy secretary-general of the Chinese Academy of Sciences, meets and fetes Prof. Cyril M. Harris, Acoustician of Columbia University, and his wife. (SCMP 73-45/39)

24 A medical delegation of the Chinese Medical Association led by Wu Hsien-chung leaves Peking for Japan to attend the 35th meeting of the Japan Clinical Surgery Society. (SCMP 73-45/68)

24 A Kwangchow Municipal Friendship Visiting Delegation led by Liang Hsiang leaves Kwangchow for Hai Phong, Viet Nam, via Nanning. (SCMP 73-45/91)

24 A Chinese fishery study group led by Hsiao Feng leaves Peking for Norway. (SCMP 73-45/81)

24 The basketball team of Chinese compatriots and students from Taiwan province now residing or studying in the United States, led by Li Nan-hui, leaves China for the United States. (SCMP 73-45/61-62)

24-Nov. 7 Movement and activities of the Delegation of Activists of the Romanian Communist Party led by Iosif Uglar, in China. (SCMP 73-45/32, 129-130; 73-46/170, 222-223)

25 NCNA releases an article denouncing Malik's disgraceful performance at UN Security Council. (SCMP 73-45/178-181)

25 The UN Security Council continues to discuss Middle East Question and adopts another resolution. (SCMP 73-45/136-139)

25 Li Yao-wen, Chinese Ambassador to Tanzania, gives a dinner party in Dar Es Salaam in honor of the Tanzanian Health Delegation led by Health Minister A.H. Mwinyi which returned recently from a friendly visit to China. (SCMP 73-45/135)

25 Mehmet Shehu, Chairman of the Albanian Council of Ministers, receives the Chinese Metallurgical Group led by Yeh Chih-chiang. (SCMP 73-45/115)

25 Hyun Jun Keuk, Korean Ambassador to China, gives a banquet at the Embassy in Peking to mark the 23rd anniversary of the entry of the Chinese People's Volunteers into the war in Korea. (SCMP 73-45/70-72)

25 The Ministry of the People's Armed Forces of Korea holds a banquet in Pyongyang to mark the 23rd anniversary of the entry of the Chinese People's Volunteers into the Korean War. (SCMP 73-45/122-124)

25 Korean Party and Government leaders lay wreath before the Korean-Chinese Friendship Tower in Pyongyang. (SCMP 73-45/73-74)

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25 The Korean Paper "Rodong Sinmun" carries an editorial marking the 23rd anniversary of the entry of the Chinese People's Volunteers into the Korean War. (SCMP 73-45/74-76)

25 Col. Ioan Dubesteanu, Military Attache of the Romanian Embassy in Peking, and Mrs. Dubesteanu give a reception in celebration of the 29th anniversary of the Romanian Army Day. (SCMP 73-45/84)

25 A Chinese Government Delegation led by Sha Feng leaves Peking for Ankara to attend the celebrations of the 50th anniversary of the founding of the Republic of Turkey. (SCMP 73-45/84)

25 The Japanese Polymer Scholars' Delegation, led by Prof. Shu Kambara, arrives in Peking. (SCMP 73-45/69)

25 Pakistan friends Agha Hilaly and Mrs. Hilaly wind up their visit to China and leave Peking for home. (SCMP 73-45/129)

25 A delegation of the Red Cross Society of China, led by Ouyang Ching, leaves Peking for Tehran, Iran, to attend the 22nd International Conference of the Red Cross and the 32nd meeting of the Board of Governors of the League of Red Cross Societies. (SCMP 73-45/144)

25 A six-member Chinese Journalists' Delegation led by Chang Cheng-teh leaves Peking for a friendly visit to Ethiopia. (SCMP 73-45/66)

25 The Plenipotentiary Conference of the International Telecommunication Union (Spain, 1973) closes in Malaga-Torremolinos after a six-week debate. (SCMP 73-45/142-143)

25 The Rowing Association of the People's Republic of China is admitted as a member of the International Federation of Rowing Societies. (SCMP 73-45/141-142)

25-Nov. 23 Movement and activities of the Chinese Photographic Delegation headed by Chang Lei in Viet Nam. (SCMP 73-45/140; 73-49/53-54)

25-Nov. 2 Movement and activities of the Kwangchow Municipal Friendship Visiting Delegation led by Liang Hsiang in Viet Nam. (SCMP 73-45/141; 73-46/89-90)

26 Premier Chou En-lai meets American columnist Cyrus Leo Sulzberger of New York Times and Mrs. Sulzberger in Peking. (SCMP 73-45/139)

26 The UN Political and Security Committee adopts a resolution recommending to the General Assembly the holding of UN Conference on Law of Sea. (SCMP 73-45/182-184)

26 Jen-min Jih-pao carries an editorial entitled "Naked Display of Power Politics." (SCMP 73-45/79-81)

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26 Austrian Ambassador to China Franz Helmut Leitner and his wife give a reception at the embassy to mark the Austrian National Day. (SCMP 73-45/116)

26 Ngarta Tombalbaye, President of the Republic of Chad, receives at his residence Wang Jen-san, Chinese Ambassador to Chad. (SCMP 73-45/169)

26 Iranian Ambassador to China Abbas Aram gives a reception in Peking to celebrate the birthday of His Imperial Majesty Mohammad Reza Pahlavi, the Shahanshah of Iran, and the Iranian National Day. (SCMP 73-45/118)

26 Diplomatic envoys see Chinese Unearthed Relics Exhibition in London. (SCMP 73-45/168)

26 Prof. Chia-chiao Lin, a specialist of fluid mechanics and astrophysics of Massachusetts Institute of Technology in USA, leaves Peking for USA via Kwangchow after visiting his relatives in China. (SCMP 73-45/140)

26 4,000 tons of cereals donated by the Chinese Red Cross Society is handed over to the Chadian Government at a ceremony in Ndjamena. (SCMP 73-45/168-169)

26-Nov. 4 The regular meeting of the Sino-Mongolian boundary through railway traffic is held in Huhehot, Inner Mongolia. (SCMP 73-46/169)

26-Nov. 2 China's Szechwan Table Tennis Team, led by Ni Tse, visits Togo. (SCMP 73-46/180)

26-Nov. 8 Movement and activities of China's Hupeh Provincial Football Team led by Tsou Tso-sheng, in Tanzania. (SCMP 73-46/179-180; 73-47/38)

26-Nov. 7 Movement and activities of the Chinese Journalists' Delegation led by Chang Cheng-teh in Ethiopia. (SCMP 73-45/117; 73-46/127, 165, 215-216)

26-31 Movement and activities of the Swedish Industrial Delegation led by H.R.H. Prince Hertil in China. (SCMP 73-45/135, 219-220; 73-46/44)

26-31 Movement and activities of the Sudanese Friendship Delegation led by Dr. Mansour Khalid, Minister of Foreign Affairs, in China. (SCMP 73-45/131-134, 175-176; 73-46/42-43)

26-Nov. 24 The six-member Chinese Fishery Study Group headed by Hsiao Feng, Director of the Aquatic Products Bureau of the Ministry of Agriculture and Fishery, visits Norway. (SCMP 73-49/149-150)

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26-Dec. 3	Movement and activities of the Korean "Aprok River" Women's Basketball Delegation led by Kim Myong Uk in China. (SCMP 73-45/124-125, 172; 73-46/85, 167-168; 73-47/76; 73-48/224; 73-49/33, 148, 234; 73-50/34, 104)
27	Chinese Foreign Minister Chi Peng-fei holds talks with Sudanese Foreign Minister Dr. Mansour Khalid in the afternoon and gives a banquet in honor of the Sudanese Friendship Delegation led by him. (SCMP 73-45/131-134)
27	Spanish Premier Luis Carrero Blanco receives Chinese Ambassador to Spain Chen Chao-yuan. (SCMP 73-45/175)
27	The UN Security Council continue discussion on the Middle East Question. (SCMP 73-45/185-187)
27	Hans Muller, a leading member of the Peking Medical College, and Doctors Lung Chen-chou and Tao Chi-min leave Peking for Japan to attend the workshop on hepatitis b antigen (Australia antigen) in Tokyo. (SCMP 73-45/171)
27	The Red Cross Society of China donates to the Jamaican people hit by serious floods. (SCMP 73-45/170)
27	A Chinese football team with Yang Hsiu-wu as leader leaves Peking for a friendly visit to Albania. (SCMP 73-45/116)
27-Nov. 3	Movement and activities of the Chinese Government Delegation led by Sha Feng, Minister of Agriculture and Forestry, in Turkey. (SCMP 73-45/177; 73-46/89, 181)
27-Nov. 4	Bulgarian Sea Navigation Delegation led by Dimiter Mutafchiev visits China. (SCMP 73-46/164)
27-Nov. 5	The Chinese ocean-going vessel "Yuehyang" visits Port Manzanillo on the Pacific coast of Mexico. (SCMP 73-46/168)
28	Chinese Foreign Minister Chi Peng-fei and Sudanese Foreign Minister Dr. Mansour Khalid continue talks in Peking. (SCMP 73-45/176)
28	A Chinese Government Civil Aviation Delegation led by Chen Chih-fang leaves Peking for a friendly visit to Switzerland. (SCMP 73-45/177)
28	The Workers' Visiting Group from New Zealand headed by Barry leaves Kwangchow for home. (SCMP 73-45/174)
28-Nov. 21	Movement and activities of the Second Korean Friendship Visiting Group led by Chon Su Gil, in China. (SCMP 73-45/171; 73-48/113, 224-225)

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29 The 5th Committee of the UN General Assembly unanimously favors inclusion of Chinese among UN working languages. (SCMP 73-46/45-47)

29 Egyptian Vice-President Hussein Shafei receives Chinese Ambassador to Egypt Chai Tse-min. (SCMP 73-46/39)

29 Guinean President Sekou Toure receives Chinese Ambassador Han Ke-hua at the Presidency in Conakry. (SCMP 73-46/82)

29 Turkish Ambassador to China Nuri Eren and his wife give a reception at the International Club in Peking to mark the 50th anniversary of the founding of the Republic of Turkey. (SCMP 73-45/221-223)

29 The delegation of the Canadian Importers Association led by Keith G. Dixon leaves Peking for Kwangchow to attend China's Autumn Export Commodities Fair there. (SCMP 73-46/38)

29 A Chinese sports delegation with Yao Hsiao-cheng as leader leaves Peking for a friendly visit to Korea. (SCMP 73-45/210)

29 Communist Party of Brazil greets victory of Chinese Communist Party Congress. (SCMP 73-45/208-210)

29 The Political Bureau of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of Peru greets Chinese Communist Party Congress. (SCMP 73-45/212-213)

29 Central Committee of the Communist Party of the Philippines greets Chinese Communist Party Congress. (SCMP 73-45/213-214)

29 The Central Committee of the Revolutionary Union of the United States greets the 10th National Congress of the Communist Party of China. (SCMP 73-45/225)

29 NCNA releases a commentary entitled "Aid or Control and Plunder?" by its correspondent on Soviet revisionism's "aid" to developing countries. (SCMP 73-45/214-219)

29 The 1973 National Table Tennis Championships close in Wuhan. (SCMP 73-45/206-207)

29-Nov. 6 The 32nd session of the Board of Governors of the League of Red Cross Societies is held in Tehran. (SCMP 73-47/47)

29-Nov. 9 The United Nations Population Commission holds its 17th Session in Geneva. (SCMP 73-47/85-86)

29-Nov. 19 Movement and activities of the Chinese Medical Delegation led by Tsou Chin in Denmark. (SCMP 73-46/38; 73-48/164)

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30 Chiao Kuan-hua, chairman of the Chinese delegation to the 28th Session of the UN General Assembly, and Chi Tsung-hua and Chang Han-chih, alternate representatives of the delegation, leave New York for home. (SCMP 73-46/47)

30 The Chinese Government makes contribution to UN Development Program. (SCMP 73-46/48)

30 A Chinese postal delegation led by Sung Hsing-min leaves Peking for Switzerland to attend the 1973 annual meeting of the Universal Postal Union. (SCMP 73-45/221)

30 An 8-member medical study group of the Chinese Medical Association headed by Niu Shih-ju leaves Peking for USA. (SCMP 73-45/226)

30-Dec. 14 Movement and activities of the Chinese Football Team A with Yang Hsiu-wu as leader in Albania. (SCMP 73-46/25, 211, 212; 73-52/17)

30-Nov. 14 Movement and activities of the Chinese Sports Delegation led by Yao Hsiao-cheng in Korea. (SCMP 73-45/211; 73-47/162-163)

30-Nov. 15 Movement and activities of the Chinese Government Civil Aviation Delegation headed by Chen Chih-fang, in Switzerland. (SCMP 73-46/44, 88; 73-47/163; 73-48/33)

31 Jen-min Jih-pao carries an editorial entitled "A Warm Welcome to the Distinguished Guests from the South Pacific." (SCMP 73-46/25-27)

31 Australian Prime Minister Edward G. Whitlam and Mrs. Whitlam arrive in Peking after paying an official visit to Japan. Chinese Premier Chou En-lai holds talks with the Prime Minister in the afternoon and gives a grand banquet in the evening to welcome him and Mrs. Whitlam. Both the Premier and the Prime Minister speak at the banquet. (SCMP 73-46/27-37)

31-Nov. 4 Movement and activities of Australian Prime Minister Edward G. Whitlam and his party in China. (SCMP 73-46/27-37, 76-78, 118-125)

31 Kuo Mo-jo, President of the Chinese Academy of Sciences, meets and fetes the visiting Japanese Polymer Scientists' Delegation led by Professor Kambara Shu, President of the Society of Polymer Science of Japan. (SCMP 73-46/40)

31-Nov. 6 The Chinese Ice-Hockey Team with Liu Chiang as leader pays a friendly visit to Denmark. (SCMP 73-46/214)

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1 Premier Chou En-lai and Australian Prime Minister E.G. Whitlam continue talks in Peking. (SCMP 73-46/76)

1 Chinese Ambassador to New Zealand Pei Tsien-chang gives a reception in Wellington in honor of the New Zealand Trade Delegation which returned recently after paying a friendly visit to China. (SCMP 73-46/85)

1 Ethiopian Ambassador to China Makonnen Kebret and his wife give a film reception in Peking to mark the 43rd anniversary of the coronation of His Imperial Majesty Emperor Haile Selassie I. (SCMP 73-46/80)

1 Teklemarian Haile, Ethiopian Airlines Manager for China, hosts a reception in Peking to celebrate the inaugural flight of the Ethiopian Airlines between Addis Ababa and Peking. (SCMP 73-46/80-81)

1 Feng Yu-chiu, newly-appointed Chinese Ambassador to Nigeria, leaves Peking for post. (SCMP 73-46/86)

1 The Chinese Standardization Delegation with Yueh Chih-chien as leader leaves Japan for home. (SCMP 73-46/83)

1 Foreign Marxist-Leninist and mass organizations greet Chinese Communist Party Congress. (SCMP 73-46/91-92)

1-18 Movement and activities of the Albanian Communications Delegation led by Milo Quirko, Minister of Communications, in China. (SCMP 73-46/73, 74; 73-48/65, 110)

1-22 Movement and activities of the Cameroon Medical Delegation led by Dr. Abdoulaye Souaibou, in China. (SCMP 73-46/79; 73-49/26)

1-23 Movement and activities of the Delegation of Albanian Academy of Sciences, led by Prof. Aleks Taqi Buda and Prof. Kol Cimon Popa, in China. (SCMP 73-46/73, 75; 73-48/218; 73-49/90)

2 Chairman Mao Tse-tung meets with Australian Prime Minister Edward Gough Whitlam at Chungnanhai, Peking. (SCMP 73-46/77)

2 Peking press circles give a banquet in Peking in honor of the friends from Australian press circles who are accompanying Prime Minister E.G. Whitlam on his visit to China. (SCMP 73-46/78-79)

2 An agreement on the composition of the so-called UN Emergency Force is reached at a formal meeting of the UN Security Council. (SCMP 73-46/132-134)

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2 The UN General Assembly adopts a resolution condemning Portuguese aggression against Guinea-Bissau. (SCMP 73-46/134-137)

2 Sir Edward Denis Blundell, Governor-General of New Zealand, and Lady Blundell give a dinner in honor of Pei Tsien-chang, Chinese Ambassador to New Zealand and his wife Pan Chin. (SCMP 73-46/131)

2 Romanian Ambassador to China Nicolae Gavrilescu gives a banquet at the Embassy in Peking for the Chinese Party Workers Friendship Delegation back from a friendly visit to Romania. (SCMP 73-46/86)

2 The General Administration of Civil Aviation of China gives a banquet in Peking to celebrate the inaugural flight of the Ethiopian Airlines to Peking. (SCMP 73-46/81)

2 A consignment of relief donated by the Red Cross Society of China to the Pakistan people affected by flood is handed over to the Pakistan side. (SCMP 73-46/132)

2 Liao Cheng-chih and Liu Hsi-wen meet with the Friendship Group of the Japanese Society for the Protection of Pandas led by Eiichi Shukutani. (SCMP 73-46/84)

2 A Chinese Biologists' Delegation led by Tung Ti-chou leaves Peking for a friendly visit to Japan. (SCMP 73-46/84)

2-8 Movement and activities of China's Szechwan Provincial Table Tennis Team led by Ni Tse, in Mali. (SCMP 73-46/131; 73-47/31-32)

3 Chinese Premier Chou En-lai and Australian Prime Minister E.G. Whitlam continue talks in Peking. (SCMP 73-46/118)

3 Australian Prime Minister Edward G. Whitlam and Mrs. Whitlam give a grand banquet at the Great Hall of the People in Peking. (SCMP 73-46/118-120)

3 Her Majesty Queen Sisowath Monivong Kossamak Nearirat, mother of Samdech Norodom Sihanouk, arrives in Kwangchow for medical treatment in China. (SCMP 73-46/126-127)

3 Greek Prime Minister Spiros Markezinis receives Chou Po-ping, Chinese Ambassador to Greece. (SCMP 73-46/165)

3 Chinese Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs Ho Ying meets with the group of British Members of Parliament led by Dame Joan Vickers and Lord Wayland Kennet. (SCMP 73-46/125)

3 Chiao Kuan-hua, chairman of the Chinese delegation to the 28th Session of the UN General Assembly, returns to Peking. (SCMP 73-46/137)

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3 Kuo Mo-jo meets with a visiting group of the Mayors' Association of Chiba prefecture, Japan, with Teiichi Suzuki as leader. (SCMP 73-46/128-129)

3 The Chinese delegation leaves Peking to attend the 22nd Session of the International Red Cross Conference. (SCMP 73-46/185)

3 American friend Maxwell S. Stewart, his wife and his sister leave Peking for a visit to Yenan and other places before going home. (SCMP 73-46/138)

3 The Delegation of the National Association of Zairese Enterprises, led by Tumba Tunkati, arrives in Peking. (SCMP 73-46/139)

3-11 Movement and activities of the Scientific and Cultural Delegation from Argentina led by Domingo Liotta, in China. (SCMP 73-46/117, 162-163; 73-47/21-22, 126-127)

4 Australian Prime Minister E.G. Whitlam holds press conference in Peking. (SCMP 73-46/123-124)

4 NCNA releases Sino-Australian Joint Press Communique. (SCMP 73-46/121-123)

4 Prime Minister E.G. Whitlam, Mrs. Whitlam and other distinguished Australian guests wind up their official visit to China and leave Peking for home. (SCMP 73-46/124-125)

4 The Vietnamese Party and Government Delegation headed by Pham Van Dong arrives in Peking on way home. (SCMP 73-46/184)

4 Chinese and Japanese Sports Associations reach agreements on bilateral relations and international cooperation. (SCMP 73-46/129)

4 The friendship group of the Japanese Society for the Protection of Panda with Eiichi Shukutani as its leader leaves Peking for a visit to Hangchow, Shanghai and Kwangchow before going home. (SCMP 73-46/130)

4-9 Movement and activities of the Delegation from the National Council for US-China Trade led by Donald Clemens Burnham, Chairman of the Council, in China. (SCMP 73-46/138; 73-47/46)

4-20 A 30-member Romanian Touring Group led by Catu Georghe visits China. (SCMP 73-48/226)

5 Edward Gough Whitlam, Prime Minister of Australia, and Mrs. Whitlam return to Canberra after an official visit to China. (SCMP 73-46/163)

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5 Dr. Siaka Probyn Stevens, President of the Republic of Sierra Leone, concluding his friendly visit to Pakistan, leaves Karachi for a state visit to China. (SCMP 73-46/170)

5 Kuo Mo-jo, Vice-Chairman of the Standing Committee of the National People's Congress, meets with the British Parliamentary Delegation led by Dame J. Vickers and Lord W. Kennet. (SCMP 73-46/164)

5 Yen Chun, a leading member of the Chinese Medical Association, meets and fetes Herbert K. Abrams, Head of the Department of Family and Community Medicine at the Medical Center of the University of Arizona, and his wife. (SCMP 73-46/183)

5 Colonel Filippo Boari, Military Attache of the Italian Embassy in China, and his wife give a reception in Peking to celebrate the Italian Army Day. (SCMP 73-46/166)

5 The Chinese People's Association for Friendship with Foreign Countries and the Sino-Soviet Friendship Association give a film reception in Peking to celebrate the 56th anniversary of the great October Socialist Revolution of the Soviet Union. (SCMP 73-46/175)

5 Johan Galtung, director of the Norwegian International Peace Research Institute, and his wife Fumiko Nishimura leave Peking for home via Kwangchow. (SCMP 73-46/169)

5 Sven Westerberg, leader of a technical delegation from the Swedish Export Council, leaves Peking for Kwangchow before going home. Other members of the delegation will leave Peking to visit other parts of the country in separate groups. (SCMP 73-46/179)

5-14 The Special Political Committee of the UN General Assembly holds a debate on the item relating to the question of Palestine refugees. (SCMP 73-48/35-37)

5-Dec. 4 Movement and activities of the Chinese Biologists' Delegation, led by Tung Ti-chou, in Japan. (SCMP 73-46/217-218; 73-50/136-137)

5-11 A photographic exhibition "China Today" is on display in Sydney. (SCMP 73-47/127)

6 Jen-min Jih-pao carries an editorial entitled "A Warm Welcome to the Distinguished Guests from Sierra Leone." (SCMP 73-46/173-175)

6 Dr. Siaka Stevens, President of the Republic of Sierra Leone, arrives in Peking to warm welcome. (SCMP 73-46/171-173)

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6-15 Movement and activities of Dr. Siaka Stevens, President of the Republic of Sierra Leone, and his party in China. (SCMP 73-46/171-173, 224-235; 73-47/34-37, 79-84, 133-135; 73-48/27-29)

6 The Vietnamese Party and Government Delegation headed by Pham Van Dong leaves Peking for Home. (SCMP 73-46/184-185)

6 Jen-min Jih-pao carries an article by Shiang Ming, exposing the Soviet revisionists' propaganda for the deceptive "Agreement on the Prevention of Nuclear War." (SCMP 73-46/176-178)

6 Speaking at the first committee of the UN General Assembly, Chinese representative Wang Ming-hsiu reaffirms China's principled stand on the question of world disarmament and exposes Soviet revisionists' disarmament fraud. (SCMP 73-47/42-45)

6 A protocol of the 14th Session of the Committee for scientific and technical cooperation between China and Korea is signed in Pyongyang. (SCMP 73-46/166-167)

6 The Chinese Government Delegation to the 2nd International Red Cross Conference, led by Chen Hsin-jen, arrives in Tehran. (SCMP 73-46/185)

6 A Chinese Delegation, led by Chou Chiu-yen, to attend the UN Conference on a code of conduct for liner conferences leaves Peking for Geneva. (SCMP 73-46/182)

6 A Chinese delegation, led by Hao Chung-shih, to attend the 17th session of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations leaves Peking for Rome. (SCMP 73-46/182)

6 A study group on teaching of the Chinese language, with Chen Chia as the head, leaves Peking for a study tour of the United States. (SCMP 73-46/183)

6 The Chinese Government Delegation led by Sha Feng returns to Peking after paying a friendly visit to Turkey. (SCMP 73-46/181)

6 The Chinese Metallurgical Group led by Yeh Chih-chiang, leaves Tirana for home after concluding its friendly visit to Albania. (SCMP 73-46/210-211)

6 First anniversary of exhibition of pandas marked in Tokyo. (SCMP 73-46/218-219)

6 A photo exhibition "China Today" opens in London under the sponsorship of the Royal Photographic Society of Great Britain. (SCMP 73-46/214)

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6-18	Movement and activities of the Calligraphers' Delegation from Japan led by Umekichi Nakamura, in China. (SCMP 73-46/217; 73-47/161; 73-48/112-113)
7	Chairman Mao Tse-tung meets Dr. Siaka Stevens, President of the Republic of Sierra Leone. (SCMP 73-46/224)
7	Premier Chou En-lai holds talks with President Siaka Stevens in the afternoon and gives a grand banquet in the evening in his honor. They speak at the banquet. (SCMP 73-46/224-233)
7	Australian Prime Minister E.G. Whitlam refers to his visit to China in a statement to the House of Representatives. (SCMP 73-47/22-23)
7	Soviet Ambassador to China V.S. Talstikov and his wife give a reception in the embassy in Peking to celebrate the 56th anniversary of the October Revolution. (SCMP 73-46/235)
7	Hsieh Pang-chih, first Chinese Ambassador to Upper Volta, presents his credentials to President Sangoule Lamizana. (SCMP 73-47/93)
7	Mu Ching, Deputy Director of the Hsinhua News Agency, leaves Ankara for a friendly visit to Yugoslavia after concluding his friendly visit to Turkey. (SCMP 73-47/38-39)
7	The delegation of the National Association of Zairese Enterprises, led by Tumba Tunkati, leaves Peking for Kwangchow to attend China's Autumn Export Commodities Fair before going home. (SCMP 73-46/237)
7	The Chinese Sports Delegation with Yu Pu-hsueh as its leader leaves Peking for Yugoslavia on a friendly visit. (SCMP 73-46/236)
7-Dec. 7	Movement and activities of China's Kwangchow Acrobatic Troupe, led by Li Wei-ying, in New Zealand. (SCMP 73-46/222; 73-47/32, 131-132; 73-48/23-24, 115; 73-49/98; 73-50/181; 73-51/38-39)
8	Acting Chairman Tung Pi-wu and Premier Chou En-lai greet Cambodian Kingdom's National Day. (SCMP 73-47/24-25)
8	Premier Chou En-lai continues talks with Dr. Siaka Stevens, President of Sierra Leone. (SCMP 73-46/233)
8	Queen Elizabeth II pays a visit to the Chinese Exhibition of Historical Relics in London. (SCMP 73-47/23-24)
8	The "Vanguard," organ of the Australian Communist Party (Marxist-Leninist), comments on Australian Prime Minister Whitlam's visit to China. (SCMP 73-47/23)

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8	In the name of Samdech Penn Nouth, Cambodian Foreign Minister Sarin Chhak gives a farewell reception in Peking for Special Envoy Ieng Sary. (SCMP 73-47/26-28)
8	An eight-member Chinese Youth Delegation led by Liu Chun-yi, leaves Peking for a friendly visit to Algeria. (SCMP 73-47/20)
8	The Chinese Journalists' Delegation led by Chang Cheng-teh returns to Peking after paying a friendly visit to Ethiopia. (SCMP 73-46/216)
8	The Chinese Scientific and Technical Cooperation Delegation led by Sun Hsiao-feng, returns to Peking after paying a visit to Korea. (SCMP 73-46/221)
8	The Chinese Men's and Women's Basketball Teams led by Shih Hsiao, leaves Peking for Korea on a friendly visit. (SCMP 73-46/221)
8	A men's basketball team of the Chinese People's Liberation Army, led by Lu Ting leaves Peking for Pakistan for a friendly visit. (SCMP 73-47/33)
8	The Chinese Metallurgical Group led by Yeh Chih-chiang returns to Peking after visiting Albania. (SCMP 73-46/211)
8-20	Movement and activities of China's Szechwan Provincial Table Tennis Team led by Ni Tse in Ghana. (SCMP 73-47/29; 73-49/28-29)
9	Premier Chou En-lai meets first Guyanese Ambassador to China David Arthur Singh. (SCMP 73-47/30)
9	Premier Chou En-lai meets and has a friendly conversation with Aly Dioum, first Senegalese Ambassador to China. (SCMP 73-47/34)
9	Dr. Siaka Stevens, President of the Republic of Sierra Leone, has another round of talks with Premier Chou En-lai in the afternoon and hosts a banquet in the evening. (SCMP 73-47/34-36)
9	Cambodian Special Envoy Ieng Sary leaves Peking for home. (SCMP 73-47/28-29)
9	The Sanctions Committee of the UN Security Council holds an open meeting, condemning the white racist regime of Rhodesia. (SCMP 73-47/87-88)
9	Liao Cheng-chih meets all members of a friendly delegation from the Japanese tourist circles led by Fujio Suganuma. (SCMP 73-47/30)
9-Dec. 22	Movement and activities of the Albanian Youth Swimming Team, led by Muhamet Matou, in China. (SCMP 73-47/73; 73-49/142; 73-51/157; 74-1/56, 87)

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9-Dec. 5	Movement and activities of the Chinese Men's and Women's Basketball Teams led by Shih Hsiao in Korea. (SCMP 73-47/31, 77; 73-50/177)
9-29	Movement and activities of the Men's Basketball Team of the Chinese People's Liberation Army, led by Wu Ting, in Pakistan. (SCMP 73-47/33, 133; 73-48/68-69; 73-49/40, 198-199, 237-238)
9-24	Movement and activities of the Swiss Trade Delegation led by Yves Martin, in China. (SCMP 73-48/231-232; 73-49/107)
9-26	Movement and activities of the Chinese Sports Delegation led by Yu Pu-hsueh, in Yugoslavia. (SCMP 73-47/94; 73-48/236-237; 73-49/156-157)
10	Dr. Henry A. Kissinger, United States Secretary of State and Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs, and his party arrive in Peking on a visit to China and are given a banquet in the evening by Chinese Foreign Minister Chi Peng-fei. (SCMP 73-47/89-91)
10	The 17th General Conference of the United Nations' Food and Agriculture Organization opens in Rome. (SCMP 73-47/135-136)
10	A supplementary protocol to the agreement on economic and technical cooperation between China and Sierra Leone is signed in Peking. (SCMP 73-47/78-79)
10	Chinese Minister of Public Health Liu Hsiang-ping meets and fetes Dr. H.T. Mahler, Director-General of the World Health Organization, and the members of his party. (SCMP 73-47/96)
10	Mu Ching, deputy director of the Hsinhua News Agency, arrives in Belgrade for a friendly visit to Yugoslavia. (SCMP 73-47/94)
10	A delegation of the Academy of Sciences of China led by Yueh Chih-chien leaves Peking for Hanoi to discuss and sign a two-year executive plan of scientific cooperation and pay a friendly visit. (SCMP 73-47/93)
10	A Chinese delegation, led by Yu Mei, to attend the 8th session of the Assembly of the Inter-Governmental Maritime Consultative Organization leaves Peking for London. (SCMP 73-47/95)
10	American professor of bio-chemistry Alexander Rich and his wife leave Peking for a visit to other Chinese cities before going home. (SCMP 73-47/92)
10	A Chinese volleyball delegation, led by Ho Chen-liang, leaves Peking for Iran on a friendly visit. (SCMP 73-47/74)
10	A Chinese table tennis delegation, led by Chiu Chung-hui, leaves Peking for Argentina, Jamaica and Guyana on friendly visits. (SCMP 73-47/73-74)

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10-19 An exhibition on contemporary Romanian paintings, sponsored by the Tientsin branch of the Chinese People's Association for Friendship with Foreign Countries, opens in Tientsin. (SCMP 73-47/78)

10-Dec. 4 Movement and activities of the Chinese Youth Delegation, with Liu Chun-yi as leader, in Algeria. (SCMP 73-47/126; 73-49/91; 73-50/170)

11 Chinese Premier Chou En-lai, Foreign Minister Chi Peng-fei and Vice-Foreign Minister Chiao Kuan-hua hold talks in Peking with Dr. Henry A. Kissinger, US Secretary of State and Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs. (SCMP 73-47/92)

11 The Delegation of the China People's Insurance Company, the Delegation of the Chinese Medical Association, and the Chinese Port Friendship Delegation leave Tokyo for home after their visit to Japan. (SCMP 73-47/129-130)

12 Dr. Henry A. Kissinger, US Secretary of State, meets Chairman Mao Tse-tung at Chungnanhai, and continues talks with Premier Chou En-lai, Foreign Minister Chi Peng-fei and Vice-Foreign Minister Chiao Kuan-hua. (SCMP 73-47/136-137)

12 Peking press circles give a reception to welcome the American journalists who are accompanying Dr. Henry A. Kissinger on his visit to China. (SCMP 73-47/137)

12 Huang Hua, Vice Chairman of the Chinese Delegation and Permanent Representative to the 28th UN General Assembly, meets Li Jong Mok, Chairman of the Korean Delegation. (SCMP 73-47/162)

12 Peking and other Chinese cities commemorate Dr. Sun Yat-sen's birthday. (SCMP 73-47/111-113)

12 An agreement on civil air transport between the Governments of China and Switzerland is signed officially in Berne. (SCMP 73-47/163)

12 The Chinese Red Cross Society greets the 50th anniversary of the Iranian Red Lion and Sun Society. (SCMP 73-47/159)

12 Liao Cheng-chih meets the friendship delegation from various circles of Tochigi prefecture, Japan, with Isao Matsumoto as leader. (SCMP 73-47/130)

12 The friendship group of the China Travel and Tourism Administrative Bureau leaves Albania for Romania. (SCMP 73-47/157)

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12 Chin Li-sheng, Deputy Secretary-General of the Chinese Academy of Sciences, meets and fetes the British Scientists' Delegation with Sir Derek Barton as leader. (SCMP 73-47/128)

12 A seven-member Chinese medical delegation led by Kuo Kuang-hua leaves Peking for Burma on a friendly visit. (SCMP 73-47/128)

12 A four-member Egyptian Pharmaceutical Study Group, led by Dr. Ali Sina Tawfik, arrives in Peking. (SCMP 73-48/20)

12-23 Movement and activities of the Chinese Volleyball Delegation headed by Ho Chen-liang in Iran. (SCMP 73-47/160; 73-48/21, 164-165; 73-49/92)

12-27 Movement and activities of the Chinese Table Tennis Delegation, led by Chiu Chung-hui, in Argentina. (SCMP 73-47/158; 73-49/231)

12-Dec. 2 Movement and activities of the Delegation of the Academy of Sciences of China, led by Yueh Chih-chien, acting secretary-general of the Academy, in Viet Nam. (SCMP 73-47/170; 73-48/38; 73-50/39, 69-70)

12-Dec. 3 Movement and activities of the Chinese Medical Delegation led by Kuo Kuang-hua in Burma. (SCMP 73-47/158; 73-48/220; 73-50/95-96)

12-Dec. 8 Movement and activities of the Delegation of French Marxist-Leninist Communists of the Journal "L'Humanite Rouge" led by Jacques Jurquet, in China. (SCMP 73-47/129, 159; 73-51/25, 118)

13 Dr. Henry A. Kissinger, US Secretary of State, holds talks again with Chinese Premier Chou En-lai, Foreign Minister Chi Peng-fei and Vice-Foreign Minister Chiao Kuan-hua in the afternoon and gives a banquet in the Great Hall of the People in Peking in the evening. (SCMP 73-47/164-166)

13 Chinese-American physicists Dr. Chien-shiung Wu and Dr. Chia-liu Yuan leave Kwangchow for the United States. (SCMP 73-47/168-169)

13 The delegation of overseas Chinese in Japan for National Day celebrations with Po Jen as leader winds up its visit to the motherland and leaves Kwangchow for Japan. (SCMP 73-47/160-161)

13 The 8th Assembly of the Inter-Governmental Maritime Consultative Organization opens in London. (SCMP 73-48/39-40)

13 UN Political and Security Committee adopts resolution urging USSR to sign and ratify Additional Protocol II of "Treaty for the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons in Latin America." (SCMP 73-48/33-35)

13 A friendship group of the China Travel and Tourism Administrative Bureau, led by Cheng Chin-ping, arrives in Bucharest on a tour of Romania. (SCMP 73-48/24)

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13-27 Movement and activities of the Chinese Broadcasting Delegation led by Tai Cheng-yuan, deputy director of the Central Broadcasting Administration, in Viet Nam. (SCMP 73-47/169-170; 73-49/206)

14 Chinese representative Huang Hua speaks on the Korean Question at a meeting of the UN Political and Security Committee. (SCMP 73-48/74-78)

14 US Secretary of State Dr. Henry A. Kissinger and his party leave Peking for Japan. (SCMP 73-47/168)

14 NCNA releases a communique on US Secretary of State Dr. Henry A. Kissinger's visit to China. (SCMP 73-47/166-167)

14 NCNA releases an article: "Detente" Smokescreen Cannot Cover Up Soviet Revisionists' Military Ambitions in Europe. (SCMP 73-48/29-32)

14 Tran Binh, Charge d'Affaires ad Interim of the Embassy of the Republic of South Viet Nam in Peking, holds a press conference for Chinese and foreign correspondents. (SCMP 73-47/171)

14 Behar Shtylla, Albanian Ambassador to China, gives a banquet in Peking in honor of the Chinese Metallurgical Group which returned to Peking on Nov. 8 after a friendly visit to Albania. (SCMP 73-47/157)

14 Wang Yeh-chiu and Hsia Nai meet and fete the US Archaeology Delegation led by Dr. Sherman E. Lee, Director of the Cleveland Museum of Art. (SCMP 73-47/169)

14 Hans Muller, a leading member of the Peking Medical College, and Doctors Lung Chen-chou and Tao Chi-min leave Tokyo for home at the conclusion of a friendly visit to Japan. (SCMP 73-47/161-162)

14 A Chinese delegation led by chief representative Wang Shih-ping leaves Peking for Versailles, France, to attend the sixth sessionof the Atmospheric Sciences Commission of the World Meteorological Organization. (SCMP 73-48/41)

14 Dr. H.T. Mahler, Director-General of the World Health Organization, and his party leave Peking for Shanghai. (SCMP 73-48/41)

14-24 Movement and activities of Romanian Government Trade Delegation led by Ion Patan, Romanian Minister of Foreign Trade, in China. (SCMP 73-48/24-26, 69, 226; 73-49/99-101)

15 Dr. Siaka Stevens, President of the Republic of Sierra Leone, and his party leave Kwangchow for home. Upon his departure, the President sends messages to Chairman Mao Tse-tung and Premier Chou En-lai. (SCMP 73-48/28-29)

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15 Li Chiang, Chinese Minister of Foreign Trade, holds talks ... Peking with Ion Patan, Romanian Minister of Foreign Trade. (SCMP 73-48/26)

15 Chuang Yen, Chinese representative at the UN, speaks on the question of prohibition of nuclear tests. (SCMP 73-48/78-80)

15 Delegations of China, Albania, France, Gabon and some other countries vote against two draft resolutions on suspension of nuclear tests at UN. (SCMP 73-48/80-82)

15 Chen Hsin-jen and Ouyang Ching, leaders of the Chinese Delegations to the 22nd International Red Cross Conference, gave a dinner in honor of Heads of the Vietnamese and Korean Delegations. (SCMP 73-48/82-83)

15 A technical study group of the Chinese Society of Electronics with Teng Kuo-chun as its leader leaves Peking for Japan. (SCMP 73-48/22)

15 Dominican friend Hector Aristy and his wife leave Peking for a visit to Tachai, Sian and Shanghai. (SCMP 73-48/20)

15 The Technical Delegation of the Finnish Paper and Board Converters' Association led by Niilo Hakkarainen leaves Peking to visit Southern China cities. (SCMP 73-48/21)

15 American friend Lois Snow, widow of the late Mr. Edgar Snow, and her party leave Peking for a visit to South China. (SCMP 73-48/37)

15 China's 1973 Autumn Export Commodities Fair closes in Kwangchow. (SCMP 73-48/13)

15-25 Movement and activities of the Japanese Badminton Delegation, led by Hirotoshi Honda, in China. (SCMP 73-48/66, 67-68, 166; 73-49/31, 145-146)

16 Foreign diplomatic envoys in Peking give a banquet in Peking in honor of the Chinese Foreign Ministry. (SCMP 73-48/85)

16 Yao Kuang, Chinese Ambassador to Mexico, presents a Chinese film, "Tachai Fields," to President Luis Echeverria at the Presidential Residence. (SCMP 73-48/114-115)

16 The Council of the Asian Games Federation admits China's membership and ousts Chiang Kai-shek gang. (SCMP 73-48/85-87)

16 Chiang Hsiang-shan, Vice-President of the China-Japan Friendship Association, gives a banquet in Peking in honor of the All-Japan Dock Workers' Union Friendship Delegation, led by Tetsuya Sakano. (SCMP 73-48/65)

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16 Chin Li-sheng, Deputy Secretary-General of the Chinese Academy of Sciences, meets and fetes Burzo Emil, Head of the laboratory of Solid State Physics of the Institute of Atomic Physics of Romania. (SCMP 73-48/70)

16 Jen-min Jih-pao carries an article by Yi Hua, entitled "The Worst Pollutant in the Mediterranean," denouncing Soviet revisionism's scramble for hegemony in the Mediterranean. (SCMP 73-48/72-73)

16-24 Movement and activities of the Government Delegation from Senegal led by Ousmane Seck, Minister of Planning and Cooperation, in China. (SCMP 73-48/70-72; 73-49/102-104)

16-Dec. 4 Jose Toran, Honorary President of the International Commission on Large Dams and President of the Spanish National Committee of Large Dams, and his wife visit China. (SCMP 73-50/181-182)

16-Dec. 5 Movement and activities of the Japanese Youth League Council Delegation led by Masanori Higashi, in China. (SCMP 73-48/112; 73-49/93; 73-50/138)

16-Dec. 12 Movement and activities of Japanese friends Masao Shimizu, his wife Mikiko Matsuyama and their party, in China. (SCMP 73-48/67; 73-51/68, 202)

17 Chang Hsiang-shan, Vice-President of the China-Japan Friendship Association, meets with the Friendship Delegation of Trade Unionists from Osaka, Japan, led by Kiyohito Daito. (SCMP 73-48/66)

17 An observers' group led by Jen Chien-hsin from the China Council for the Promotion of International Trade leaves Peking for Geneva to attend the Second Plenary Session of the World Intellectual Property Organization. (SCMP 73-48/139)

17 The All-China Sports Federation issues a statement on the decision adopted by the Council of the Asian Games Federation yesterday. (SCMP 73-48/87-88)

17 Ugandan President Idi Amin lays foundation stone for Kibimba Rice Scheme. (SCMP 73-49/107-108)

17 A Chinese Government Delegation with Lai Chi-fa, Vice-Minister of the State Capital Construction Commission, leaves Peking for Guinea. (SCMP 73-48/111)

17-22 A 30-member Chinese friendship visiting group led by Yen Chin-hsiang, Deputy Director-General of the General Administration of the Civil Aviation of China, leaves Peking for France to mark the air service between Paris and Peking by Air France. (SCMP 73-48/111; 73-49/27-28)

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17-22 Movement and activities of the Bank Delegation from Somalia led by Abdurahmra Nur Herci, President of the National Bank of Somalia, in China. (SCMP 73-48/116, 227; 73-49/40-41)

18 Acting Chairman Tung Pi-wu sends a message to President Amir Ibrahim Nasir of Maldives, congratulating him on his reassumption of the Presidency. (SCMP 73-48/114)

18 Jen-min Jih-pao carries an editorial entitled "A Warm Welcome to the Close Comrades-in-Arms from South Viet Nam." (SCMP 73-48/83-84)

18 President Nguyen Huu Tho at Head of the South Vietnamese Government Delegation arrives in Peking from Hanoi, holds talks with Chinese Premier Chou En-lai in the afternoon and attends a grand banquet hosted by the Premier in the evening. Both the Premier and the President speak at the banquet. (SCMP 73-48/117-136)

18-23 Movement and activities of President Nguyen Huu Tho, at Head of the Delegation of the Provisional Revolutionary Government of the Republic of South Viet Nam, in China. (SCMP 73-48/117-136, 169-194, 232-236; 73-49/45-53)

18 Jen-min Jih-pao carries an article by its commentator entitled "China's Lawful Rights in International Sports Organizations Must Be Restored." (SCMP 73-48/137-138)

18 Hsu Yun-pei, Vice-Chairman of the Peking Municipal Revolutionary Committee, meets and fetes the American Delegation on Early Childhood Development and Education, led by Dr. William Kessen. (SCMP 73-48/116)

18 The Delegation of Griffith University of Australia led by Vice-President Frederick John Willet leaves Peking to tour southern parts of China before going home. (SCMP 83-48/110)

18-Dec. 10 Deputy Director of the Japanese Toho News Agency Mitinori Ikegami and a reporter visit China at the invitation of the Hsinhua News Agency. (SCMP 73-51/126)

19 Chairman Mao Tse-tung meets South Vietnamese President Nguyen Huu Tho and Foreign Minister Nguyen Thi Binh at Chungnanhai, Peking. (SCMP 73-48/169-170)

19 Premier Chou En-lai and President Nguyen Huu Tho continue talks in Peking. (SCMP 73-48/170)

19 Peking rally welcomes the Delegation of the Provisional Revolutionary Government of RSVN led by President Nguyen Huu Tho. Wu Teh, Chairman of the Peking Municipal Revolutionary Committee, gives a welcoming speech, and President Nguyen Huu Tho also speaks at the rally. (SCMP 73-48/170-182)

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19 The Delegation of the Chinese Red Cross Society headed by Ouyang Ching leaves Tehran for a friendly visit to Algeria. (SCMP 73-48/165)

19 Prince Gholam Reza Pahlavi of Iran, President of the Asian Games Federation, and Princess Manijah Pahlavi meet with Chen Hsin-jen, Chinese Ambassador to Iran, and his wife Hsiao Chih, as well as the visiting Chinese Volleyball Team. (SCMP 73-48/164-165)

19-23 Movement and activities of Hans-Dietrich Genscher, Minister of the Interior of the Federal Republic of Germany, and his wife, in China. (SCMP 73-48/195; 73-49/60-61)

19-24 The Chinese Medical Delegation led by Tsou Chin, Deputy Director of the Worker-Peasant Soldier Hospital in Peking, visits Norway. (SCMP 73-49/150)

19-24 Movement and activities of R.F.M. Lubbers, Netherlands Minister of Economic Affairs, and his party in China. (SCMP 73-48/167-168, 225; 73-49/39, 97)

19-26 The UN Special Political Committee holds debate on Israeli violation of the human rights in occupied territories. (SCMP 73-49/201-203)

19-27 Movement and activities of the Chinese Government Delegation, led by Lai Chi-fa, Vice-Minister of the State Capital Construction Commission, in Guinea. (SCMP 73-48/221; 73-49/185-187)

20 Premier Chou En-lai and President Nguyen Huu Tho continue talks. (SCMP 73-48/184)

20 The Delegation of the Provisional Revolutionary Government of RSVN, led by President Nguyen Huu Tho, gives a farewell banquet in Peking. The President speaks and Premier Chou En-lai also proposes a toast at the banquet. (SCMP 73-48/185-194)

20 An agreement between China and the Republic of South Viet Nam on China's gratuitous economic assistance to the Republic of South Viet Nam for 1974 is signed in Peking. (SCMP 73-48/184)

20 President Etienne Eyadema of Togo receives Wei Pao-shan, Chinese Ambassador to Togo, at Pya, home town of the President. (SCMP 73-50/38)

20 Chinese representative Ling Ching expounds Chinese Government's stand on the question of defining aggression at UN Legal Committee. (SCMP 73-49/109-112)

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20 The delegation of the Chinese Red Cross Society headed by Ouyang Ching arrives in Algiers for a friendly visit to Algeria after attending the 22nd International Red Cross Conference in Tehran. (SCMP 73-48/219)

20 NCNA announces the visit of British Prime Minister Edward Heath to China from January 4 to 12,1974. (SCMP 73-48/219)

20 A Chinese Government Maritime Shipping Delegation, led by Yu Mei, Vice-Minister of Communications, leaves Peking for France to discuss a maritime shipping agreement and pay a friendly visit to France. (SCMP 73-48/221)

20 Huang Shu-tse, Chinese Vice-Minister of Public Health, meets and fetes the Vietnamese Medical Study Group, led by Prof. Tran Huu Tuoc. (SCMP 73-48/194)

20 Liao Cheng-chih, President of the China-Japan Friendship Association, meets and fetes the Friendship Delegation of the Local Self-Government Body of Japan. (SCMP 73-48/166-167)

20-25 Movement and activities of the Delegation of the National Executive Council of the Republic of Zaire, led by Nguza Karl I'Bond, Commissioner of State for Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation, in China. (SCMP 73-48/237-240; 73-49/62-64, 157)

20-Dec. 2 The Netherlands Industrial and Technical Exhibition is on show in Peking. (SCMP 73-48/168; 73-50/66)

21 Premier Chou En-lai greets President Toure on 3rd anniversary of victory of Guinean people against aggression. (SCMP 73-48/222)

21 Chinese Foreign Minister Chi Peng-fei holds talks with Nguza Karl I'Bond, Zairese Commission of State for Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation, in the afternoon and gives a banquet in the evening in honor of the delegation he is leading. (SCMP 73-48/238-240)

21 Chinese Ambassador to Afghanistan Kan Yeh-tao gives a cocktail party in Kabul to celebrate the 10th anniversary of the signing of the Sino-Afghan Boundary Treaty. (SCMP 73-49/24)

21 Algerian Minister of Health Omar Boudjellab receives the delegation of the Chinese Red Cross Society headed by Ouyang Ching. (SCMP 73-49/91-92)

21 Peko Dapcevic, Vice-Chairman of the Yugoslav Federal Assembly, receives Mu Chin, Deputy Director of Hsinhua News Agency who is on a visit in Yugoslavia. (SCMP 73-49/61-62)

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21 Liao Cheng-chih meets and fetes the Friendship Delegation of Japanese Hotel Circles with Syuzo Kitamura as leader. (SCMP 73-48/223)

21 Hsieh Hua, a leading member of the Chinese Medical Association, meets and fetes the Japanese Doctors' and Acupuncturists' Friendship Delegation and accompanying correspondents. (SCMP 73-48/223)

21 Sun So-chang, leader of the Chinese exhibition group to the Netherlands, leaves Peking for Amsterdam. (SCMP 73-49/38)

21 A ceremony for signing the notes of the talks on China's gratuitous construction of a 250-bed hospital for Afghanistan takes place in Kabul. (SCMP 73-49/24-25)

21 A scientific cooperation agreement between the Chinese Academy of Sciences and the Albanian Academy of Sciences and its 1974 executive plan are signed in Peking. (SCMP 73-48/218)

21 J.H. Wijsman, President of the Netherlands Industrial Technology Exhibition, gives a reception in Peking to mark the opening of the exhibition in Peking. (SCMP 73-49/39)

21 Chinese representative Chuang Yen makes a speech at the plenary meeting of the UN General Assembly, exposing Soviet fraud of reduction of military budgets. (SCMP 73-49/41-44)

21 NCNA releases an article entitled "Soviet Revisionism Intensifies Expansion in South Asia and Indian Ocean." (SCMP 73-48/228-231)

21-Dec. 2 Movement and activities of the Chinese Government Maritime Shipping Delegation, led by Yu Mei, Vice-Minister of Communications, in France. (SCMP 73-49/143-144; 73-50/26-27, 100)

21 A Chinese Table Tennis Team led by Kuan Hui-kuang leaves Peking for a friendly visit to Sweden, Iceland and Finland. (SCMP 73-48/231)

22 Chinese Foreign Minister Chi Peng-fei continues talks with Zairese Commissioner of State Nguza in the afternoon. Premier Chou En-lai and Foreign Minister Chi Peng-fei meet in the evening with the Zairese Delegation of the National Executive Council led by Commissioner Nguza. (SCMP 73-49/62)

22 President Nguyen Huu Tho of South Viet Nam calls on Queen Kossamak of Cambodia in Kwangchow. (SCMP 73-49/48)

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22 Chinese Ambassador to Albania Liu Chen-hua gives a reception to celebrate the 24th anniversary of the establishment of diplomatic relations between China and Albania. (SCMP 73-49/88)

22 Sarin Chhak, Cambodia Foreign Minister, holds a press conference in Peking on the forthcoming UN debate on the "restoration of the legitimate rights of the Royal Government of National Union of Cambodia in the United Nations." (SCMP 73-49/25)

22 Mobutu Sese Seko, President of the Republic of Zaire, receives Chinese Ambassador to Zaire Kung Ta-fei at the Presidency. (SCMP 73-49/64)

22 Liao Cheng-chih, President of the China-Japan Friendship Association, meets the All-Japan Dock Workers' Union Friendship Delegation, led by Tetsuya Sakano. (SCMP 73-49/29)

22 The Chinese People's Association for Friendship with Foreign Countries and the China-Korea Friendship Association give a film reception in Peking to mark the 20th anniversary of the signing of the Agreement on Economic and Cultural Cooperation between China and Korea. (SCMP 73-49/32)

22 A cocktail party followed by a film show is jointly held in Pyongyang by the Korean Committee for Foreign Cultural Relations and the Korea-China Friendship Association to mark the 20th anniversary of the signing of the Agreement on Economic and Cultural Cooperation between Korea and China. (SCMP 73-49/32-33)

22 The first committee of the UN General Assembly adopts a resolution concerning napalm and other incendiary weapons. (SCMP 73-49/44-45)

22 An exhibition delegation of the People's Republic of China led by Sun So-chang arrives in Amsterdam for a Chinese exhibition to be held in Amsterdam. (SCMP 73-49/98)

22-Dec. 6 Movement and activities of the 55-member Delegation of Japan-China Memorandum Trade of Japan, led by Kaheita Okazaki, in China. (SCMP 73-49/29-30, 144, 188-190, 193, 233; 73-50/176)

23 South Viet Nam Provisional Revolutionary Government Delegation headed by President Nguyen Huu Tho leaves Kwangchow for home. Upon his departure, President Nguyen Huu Tho sends a message of thanks to Premier Chou En-lai. (SCMP 73-49/50-52)

23 Vice-Premier Teng Hsiao-ping and Vice-Foreign Minister Han Nien-lung call on Her Majesty Queen Sisowath Monivong Kossamak Nearirat of the Kingdom of Cambodia in Kwangchow. (SCMP 73-49/26)

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23 Albanian Ambassador to China Behar Shtylla gives a banquet in Peking to celebrate the 24th anniversary of the establishment of diplomatic relations between Albania and China. (SCMP 73-49/87)

23 The Albanian Paper "Zeri I Popullit" marks the 24th anniversary of the establishment of diplomatic relations between Albania and China. (SCMP 73-49/89)

23 Ho Yang, Charge d'Affaires ad Interim of the Chinese Embassy in Cyprus, holds a film reception to entertain Cypriot government officials and personages from medical, archaeological and press circles. (SCMP 73-49/184-185)

23 Chinese Ambassador to Korea Li Yun-chuan gives a banquet in Pyongyang to mark the 20th anniversary of the signing of the Agreement on Economic and Cultural Cooperation between China and Korea. (SCMP 73-49/34)

23 Hyun Jun Keuk, Korean Ambassador to China, hosts a banquet in Peking to mark the 20th anniversary of the signing of the Korean-China Agreement on Economic and Cultural Cooperation. (SCMP 73-49/35-36)

23 The Korean paper "Rodong Sinmun" publishes an article to mark the 20th anniversary of the signing of the Agreement on Economic and Cultural Cooperation between Korea and China. (SCMP 73-49/34-35)

23 Jen-min Jih-pao carries an article entitled "Great Achievements of Sino-Korean Economic and Cultural Cooperation" to mark the 20th anniversary of the conclusion of the Sino-Korean Agreement on Economic and Cultural Cooperation. (SCMP 73-49/37-38)

23 A Chinese Friendship Delegation, led by Chen Kang, leaves Peking for a visit to the liberated areas of Laos. (SCMP 73-49/97)

23 A protocol on goods exchange and payment for 1974 between the Governments of China and Romania is signed in Peking. (SCMP 73-49/101)

23 An agreement on economic and technical cooperation and a trade agreement between the Governments of China and Senegal are signed in Peking. (SCMP 73-49/103)

23 The UN Political and Security Committee urges all states to accept the principles and objectives contained in the Declaration of the Indian Ocean as a zone of peace. (SCMP 73-49/113-116)

23 The UN Administrative and Budgetary Committee adopts a draft resolution on the cost of United Nations Emergency Force to the Middle East. (SCMP 73-49/154-155)

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23 — Jen-min Jih-pao carries an article entitled "Old Trash" by Hsiang Ming, denouncing the Soviet revisionists' draft resolution on the reduction of the military budgets. (SCMP 73-49/104-106)

23-28 — Movement and activities of Walter Binaghi, President of the Council of the International Civil Aviation Organization, and John Hutchison, Chief of External Relations of the International Civil Aviation Organization, in China. (SCMP 73-49/117, 158, 244)

23-28 — Movement and activities of the ten-member Posts and Telecommunications Delegation, headed by Katsuyuki Onimaru, in China. (SCMP 73-49/31, 94, 187, 190, 194-195)

23-Dec. 2 — Movement and activities of the Trade Delegation of the China Council for the Promotion of International Trade headed by Wang Yao-ting, in the Philippines. (SCMP 73-49/99, 151; 73-50/35-36, 105)

23-Dec. 3 — Movement and activities of the visiting Chinese Table Tennis Team, led by Kuan Hui-kuang, in Sweden. (SCMP 73-49/241-242; 73-50/37, 106-107)

24 — NCNA releases a joint communique on the official friendly visit to China paid by the Delegation of the Provisional Revolutionary Government of the Republic of South Viet Nam, led by President Nguyen Huu Tho. (SCMP 73-49/54-59)

24 — Huang Shu-tse, Chinese Vice-Minister of Health, meets and fetes the Study Group of the World Health Organization, led by Dr. Lucien Bernard. (SCMP 73-49/117)

24 — Kuo Mo-jo, Honorary President of the Chinese-Japan Friendship Association, meets with the Friendship Delegation of the Local Self-Government Body of Japan. (SCMP 73-49/93-94)

24 — Falih A. Razzak Al-Sammarrie, new Iraqi Ambassador to China, arrives in Peking. (SCMP 73-49/93)

24 — Zairese Ambassador to China Nguvulu Lubunda and his wife give a reception in Peking to mark the eighth anniversary of the Second Republic of Zaire. (SCMP 73-49/116)

24 — Jen-min Jih-pao carries an editorial entitled "The Korean People's Struggle for the Reunification of Their Fatherland Will Be Victorious," in connection with the conclusion of the debate on the Korean question at the 28th session of the UN General Assembly. (SCMP 73-49/95-96)

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24 A Chinese delegation of scientific and technical cooperation, led by Chen Wei-chi, leaves Peking for Albania to attend the 15th session of the Joint Committee for Scientific and Technical Cooperation between China and Albania. (SCMP 73-49/90)

24 Mu Ching, Deputy Director of Hsinhua News Agency, leaves Belgrade after concluding his friendly visit to Yugoslavia. (SCMP 73-49/156)

24-Dec. 8 Movement and activities of the Delegation of the Central Council of the General Trade Union Confederation of Romania led by Stefan Pavel, in China. (SCMP 73-49/151-152; 73-51/39, 83)

25 The Chinese Delegation headed by Yu Mei, Vice Minister of Communications, leaves London after attending the 8th Session of the Assembly of the Inter-Governmental Maritime Consultative Organization. (SCMP 73-49/158)

25 A military friendship delegation of the Albanian People's Army, led by Petrit Dume, leaves Tirana on a friendly visit to China. (SCMP 73-49/138)

25 Yu Mei, leader of the Chinese Government Maritime Shipping Delegation and Vice Minister of Communications, arrives in Paris to discuss a maritime shipping agreement and pay a friendly visit. (SCMP 73-49/143-144)

25 The minutes of the talks between Iraq and China on building the Mosul Bridge are signed in Baghdad. (SCMP 73-49/232)

25 The Friendship Delegation of the Local Self-Government Body of Japan leaves Peking on a visit to Hangchow, Shanghai and Kwangchow before going home. (SCMP 73-49/145)

25 The Liaison Council for Repatriates from China (Orthodox) of Japan holds its Second National Convention in Tokyo. (SCMP 73-49/146-147)

25 Li Jong Mok, Chairman of the Korean Delegation to the UN, gives a dinner in honor of the Chinese Delegation. (SCMP 73-49/149)

26 Liao Cheng-chih, President of the China-Japan Friendship Association, meets and fetes the noted Japanese film director and playwright Matsuyama Zenzo in Peking. (SCMP 73-49/144)

26 Hyun Jun Keuk, Korean Ambassador to China, gives a press conference in connection with the conclusion of the debate on the Korean Question at the 28th Session of the UN General Assembly. (SCMP 73-49/147)

26-Dec. 27 Movement and activities of the Military Friendship Delegation of the Albanian People's Army, led by Petrit Dume, in China. (SCMP 73-49/138-142, 178-179, 230; 73-50/24, 169; 73-51/58-59, 114-115, 157-158; 73-52/52, 91; 74-1/86; 74-2/65-66, 68, 100-101)

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26 Hsieh Hua, a leading member of the Chinese Medical Association, meets and fetes Dr. Gustare Gingros, former President of the Canadian Medical Association. (SCMP 73-49/143)

26 Chinese representative Lin Fang tells the UN Political and Security Committee that the two superpowers are making use of the question of prohibiting chemical and bacteriological weapons to peddle their fraud of sham disarmament. (SCMP 73-49/199-200)

26 Lai Chi-fa, head, and Han Ke-hua, deputy head, of the visiting Chinese Government Delegation call on Aristides Pereira, General Secretary of the African Party for Independence in Guinea and Cape Verde, and Francisco Mendes, Chairman of the Council of Commissioners of State of the Republic of Guinea-Bissau. (SCMP 73-49/187)

26 Chu Mu-chih, director of the Hsinhua News Agency, meets and fetes William Randolph Hearst Jr., editor-in-chief of the American Hearst newspapers, and Joseph Kingsbury-Smith, European director and chief foreign writer of the Hearst newspapers. (SCMP 73-49/204)

26-Dec. 13 Movement and activities of the Chinese Scientific and Technical Cooperation Delegation, led by Chen Wei-chi, in Albania. (SCMP 73-49/179-180; 73-51/159; 73-52/17)

26 NCNA releases an article entitled "Soviet Revisionists Feverishly Engage in Arms Dealing under Signboard of 'Military Aid'." (SCMP 73-49/152-153)

27 Acting Chairman Tung Pi-wu and Premier Chou En-lai send message of sympathy to typhoon victims in South Viet Nam. (SCMP 73-49/204-205)

27 Commercial counsellers of various embassies in Peking give a cocktail party to thank the Chinese Ministry of Foreign Trade. (SCMP 73-49/207)

27 Chinese Vice-Foreign Minister Yu Chan meets with William Randolph Hearst Jr., editor-in-chief of the US Hearst newspapers, and Joseph Kingsbury-Smith, European director and chief foreign writer of the Hearst newspapers. (SCMP 73-49/203)

27 Spanish Prince Juan Carlos de Borbon and his wife Princess Sofia receive in Madrid Chinese Ambassador to Spain Chen Chao-yuan and his wife. (SCMP 73-49/241)

27 Behar Shtylla, Albanian Ambassador to China, his wife and other Albanian comrades of the Embassy celebrate Albanian Liberation Day together with Chinese commune members. (SCMP 73-49/177-178)

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27 Andres Nko Ivasa, Finance Minister and Acting Health Minister of Equatorial Guinea, gives a reception in honor of the first group of the Chinese Medical Team which has concluded its work in Equatorial Guinea. (SCMP 73-50/62)

27 The Chinese Red Cross Society donates RMB 5 million yuan's worth of materials to typhoon victims in South Viet Nam. (SCMP 73-49/205)

27 An exhibition of ancient Chinese paintings closes in Lagos, Nigeria. (SCMP 73-50/35)

27 NCNA releases an article entitled "What Soviet Union Does after Dishing Up Its 'Proposal' on Reduction of Military Budgets." (SCMP 73-49/238-240)

27 A five-member Chinese group including Wang Yueh-yi, Pu Ming and Chang Ping-chien leaves Peking for Vienna to attend the third session of the UN Industrial Development Board. (SCMP 73-49/184)

27 A Chinese Speed Skating Delegation with Liu Ning as its leader, leaves Peking for a friendly visit to Japan. (SCMP 73-49/191-192)

27-Dec. 5 Movement and activities of the Chinese Friendship Delegation, led by Chen Kang, in Laos. (SCMP 73-49/235-236; 73-50/64-65, 178; 73-51/30-32)

28 Chinese leaders warmly greet 29th anniversary of Albania's liberation. (SCMP 73-49/180-181)

28 Chinese Foreign Minister Chi Peng-fei meets Falih A. Razzak Al-Sammarraie, Iraqi Ambassador to China. (SCMP 73-49/232)

28 Yugoslav Ambassador to China Milojko Drulovic and his wife give a reception in Peking in celebration of the National Day of Yugoslavia. (SCMP 73-49/243)

28 The Chinese People's Association for Friendship with Foreign Countries and the China-Albania Friendship Association give a reception in Peking to celebrate the 29th anniversary of the Liberation of Albania. (SCMP 73-49/182)

28 PLA Peking Artillery Unit holds meeting to celebrate the 29th anniversary of the Liberation of Albania. (SCMP 73-49/182-184)

28 Lu Hsun's Work "The True Story of Ah Q" has been translated into and published in Arabic in Syria. (SCMP 73-49/243)

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28 Liao Cheng-chih and Liu Hsi-wen meet the Delegation of the Entrepreneurs Association for Japan-China Peaceful Co-Existence, led by Juzo Sugimoto. (SCMP 73-49/193-194)

28 Hua Kuo-feng and Hsiao Peng, meet the 4th Japanese Friendship Delegation of Rural Activists led by Sadao Onodera. (SCMP 73-49/194)

28-Dec. 8 Movement and activities of the Chinese Table Tennis Delegation, led by Chiu Chung-hui, in Jamaica. (SCMP 73-50/28; 73-51/29, 119-120)

28-Dec. 8 Movement and activities of the 30-member Yokohama-Shanghai Friendship Delegation with Yokohama Mayor Ichio Asukada as leader, in China. (SCMP 73-49/195-197; 73-50/28-31, 101-103, 135-136, 176; 73-51/69)

28-Dec. 15 Movement and activities of the visiting Chinese Speed Skating Team, led by Liu Ning, in Japan. (SCMP 73-50/32, 103; 73-51/124-125, 203; 73-52/55)

28 The Chinese Commodities Exhibition sponsored by noted Japanese public figures opens in Tokyo. (SCMP 73-49/197-198)

29 Falih A. Razzak Al-Sammarraie, new Iraqi Ambassador to China, presents his credentials to Acting Chairman Tung Pi-wu. (SCMP 73-49/233)

29 Josip Broz Tito, President of the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, receives Chinese Ambassador to Yugoslavia Chang Hai-feng. (SCMP 73-50/70)

29 Liao Cheng-chih, Lo Ching-chang and Li Chih-teh meet and fete Mr. Yeh Nan, son of Kuomintang party veteran Mr. Yeh Chu-tsang and former deputy chief of No. 2 Bureau of the Ministry of National Defense of the Kuomintang. (SCMP 73-49/221)

29 Behar Shtylla, Albanian Ambassador to China, and his wife give a reception to celebrate the 29th anniversary of the liberation of Albania. (SCMP 73-49/227-229)

29 Jen-min Jih-pao carries an editorial entitled "The Heroic Albanian People's Glorious Festival Day" in celebration of the 29th anniversary of the liberation of Albania. (SCMP 73-49/226-227)

29 The 17th General Conference of the United Nations' Food and Agriculture Organization closes in Rome. (SCMP 73-50/68-69)

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29 The Delegation of the Chinese Red Cross Society led by Ouyang Ching leaves Algiers from home after concluding its friendly visit to Algeria. (SCMP 73-50/26)

29 A six-member Chinese Study Group on rural health and woman and child care headed by Hsia Feng-chu leaves Peking for a study tour of Korea. (SCMP 73-50/34)

29 A Chinese engraving exhibition opens in the East Asian Museum in Stockholm. (SCMP 73-49/242)

30 Feng Yu-chiu, Chinese Ambassador to Nigeria, presents his credentials to General Yakubu Gowon, Head of the Federal Military Government of the Federal Republic of Nigeria. (SCMP 73-50/104)

30 The Chinese Government Delegation led by Lai Chi-fa, Vice-Minister of the State Capital Construction Commission, returns to Peking after paying a friendly visit to Guinea. (SCMP 73-50/27)

30 Hsinhua correspondent acclaims Arab Summit Conference. (SCMP 73-50/22-23)

30 Mu Ching, Deputy Director of the Hsinhua News Agency, winds up a friendly visit to Yugoslavia and Turkey and returns to Peking. (SCMP 73-50/38-39)

30 The Chinese Broadcasting Delegation led by Tai Cheng-yuan returns to Peking after a friendly visit to Viet Nam. (SCMP 73-50/40)

30 The 1973-1974 Executive Plan for Cooperation in Science between the Chinese Academy of Sciences and the Vietnamese State Commission for Science and Technology and Commission of Social Science. (SCMP 73-50/39)

30 Ichizo Kimura, Director-General of the Kansai Chapter of the Japan International Trade Promotion Association, leaves Peking for home. (SCMP 73-50/31)

30 The founding of a Japan-China Association for the Exchange of Architectural Technique is announced at a meeting held in Tokyo by Japanese architects and personages from building industry. (SCMP 73-50/33)

30 The Chinese Sports Delegation with Yu Pu-hsueh as its leader returns to Peking from a friendly visit to Yugoslavia. (SCMP 73-50/40)

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30-Dec. 11	Movement and activities of the Italian Medical Delegation, led by Paolo Angelini Rota, in China. (SCMP 73-50/63; 73-51/167)
30-Dec. 20	Movement and activities of the Delegation of the Communist Party of Sweden, led by Gunnar Bylin, Chairman of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of Sweden, in China. (SCMP 73-50/36, 37-38; 74-1/28, 61)
30-Dec. 4	Kweichow province holds its Third Women's Congress. (SCMP 73-52/1-3)

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1 Li Hsien-nien, Fu Hao, Chai Shu-fan, Ku Ming and Liu Ang visit the Netherlands Industrial Technology Exhibition which is being held at the Peking Exhibition Center. (SCMP 73-50/66)

1 Hyun Jun Keuk, Korean Ambassador to China, gives a reception at the embassy premise in Peking for the occasion of the visit to China of the Korean "Aprok River" Women's Basketball Delegation led by Kim Myong Uk. (SCMP 73-50/34)

1 Ion Patan, Vice-Chairman of the Council of Ministers of Romania, receives with the Friendship Group of the Chinese Travel and Tourism Administrative Bureau led by Cheng Chih-ping. (SCMP 73-50/67)

1 A 17-member trade group of the Chinese Ministry of Foreign Trade, led by Wang Ming-chun, General Manager of the China National Textiles Import and Export Corporation, leaves Peking for Canada. (SCMP 73-50/61)

1-8 Movement and activities of the Canadian Trade Delegation led by R.E. Latimer, Assistant Deputy Minister of the Department of Industry, Trade and Commerce, in China. (SCMP 73-50/61; 73-51/24, 59)

1 Chinese piano concerto "The Yellow River" is played at a concert in Paris organized by the French "Orchestra of the Association of Concerts Pasdeloup." (SCMP 73-50/99)

1 A Chinese sports delegation with Wang Meng, Minister of the Chinese Physical Culture and Sports Commission, as leader, leaves Peking for a friendly visit to Iran. (SCMP 73-50/63)

1 Nobuyuki Inomata, chief of the Asahikawa Municipal Horticultural Center, Hokkaido, Japan, leaves Peking to tour southern parts of China before going home. (SCMP 73-50/32-33)

1 Sports organizations of many countries and regions greet affirmation of China's lawful rights in the Asian Games Federation. (SCMP 73-50/70-71)

1-12 Movement and activities of the Romanian Gymnastics Delegation led by Elena Pota Lad, President of the Romanian Gymnastics Federation, in China. (SCMP 73-50/66-67, 105-106; 73-51/40, 173-174)

2 Soong Ching Ling, Vice-Chairman of the People's Republic of China, meets and fetes American friendly personage Amy Schaeffer. (SCMP 73-50/107)

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2 A Chinese Badminton Delegation led by Wang To, Director of the International Liaison Department of the All-China Sports Federation, arrives in Hong Kong to attend the International Badminton Invitational Exhibition Matches which will be held in Hong Kong from Dec. 5 to 10. (SCMP 73-50/62)

2-7 Movement and activities of the Kyoto Economic Friendship Delegation from Japan, led by Hiromu Morishita, in China. (SCMP 73-50/137; 73-51/30)

3 The Standing Committee of the Chinese National People's Congress expresses condolences on death of Comrade Ton Quang Phiet, Secretary-General of the Standing Committee of the Vietnamese National Assembly. (SCMP 73-50/147)

3 President Siaka Stevens of Sierra Leone receives the Chinese Bridge Technical Team led by Chang Chih-hsien. (SCMP 73-50/140)

3 An agreement on economic and technical cooperation between China and Upper Volta is signed in Ouagadougou. (SCMP 73-50/183)

3 The Chinese Delegation headed by Yu Mei, Vice-Minister of Communications, returns to Peking after attending the 8th session of the Assembly of the Inter-Governmental Maritime Consultative Organization. (SCMP 73-50/108)

3-6 The 10th Plenary Session of the Asian Broadcasting Union is held in Djakarta, at which the decision of the Radio and Television of the People's Republic of China to exercise its right as a full member of the A.B.U. is announced. (SCMP 73-52/65)

3-13 Movement and activities of the Chinese Table Tennis Team, led by Kuan Hui-kuang, in Iceland. (SCMP 73-50/173; 73-51/66-67; 73-52/18)

3-18 Movement and activities of the Delegation of the Angolan National Liberation Front led by President Holden Roberto of the Front, in China. (SCMP 73-50/95, 133-134, 170; 73-52/92)

4 Huang Hua speaks for restoration of lawful rights of the Royal Government of National Union of Cambodia in the United Nations. (SCMP 73-50/141-145)

4 Chinese Ambassador to Iran Chen Hsin-jen, on behalf of the Chinese Government, presents to Prince Gholam Reza Pahlavi in Tehran a color documentary film on his China visit last September. (SCMP 73-50/175)

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4	Keng Piao, Head of the International Liaison Department of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of China, meets and fetes the Delegation of the Revolutionary Union of USA with William Klingel as its leader. (SCMP 73-50/146)
4	Li En-chiu, Vice-President of the Chinese People's Association for Friendship with Foreign Countries, meets with the New York Friendship Delegation led by Nicholas Unger, and with American Doctor Samuel Rosen and his wife. (SCMP 73-50/146)
4	Liao Cheng Chih, President of the China-Japan Friendship Association, meets with the Japanese friendship delegation from various circles of Gunma Prefecture, led by Koichi Moroda. (SCMP 73-50/136)
4	Liu Hsueh-wen, Secretary-General of the Chinese Medical Association, meets and fetes American Doctor Samuel Rosen and his wife. (SCMP 73-50/182)
4	The delegation of the Chinese Academy of Sciences led by Yueh Chih-chien returns to Peking after a friendly visit to Viet Nam. (SCMP 73-50/147)
4	A Romanian modern paintings exhibition opens at the China Art Gallery in Peking under the auspices of the Chinese People's Association for Friendship with Foreign Countries. (SCMP 73-50/139-140)
4-14	Movement and activities of the Chinese Sports Delegation, led by Wang Meng, Minister of the Chinese Physical Culture and Sports Commission, in Iran. (SCMP 73-50/134, 174-175; 73-51/167, 201; 73-52/19-20)
4-15	The Light Industrial Products and Handicrafts Exhibition of the People's Republic of China is held at the Rai Exhibition Center in Amsterdam. (SCMP 73-50/138-139; 73-52/56-57)
5	Li Lien-pi, Chinese Ambassador to Luxembourg, presents his credentials to His Royal Highness Jean, the Grand Duke of Luxembourg. (SCMP 73-50/178-179)
5	Maltese Prime Minister Dominic Mintoff receives Chinese Ambassador to Malta Liu Pu. (SCMP 73-50/179)
5	Huang Shu-tse, Vice-Minister of Public Health, meets and fetes the Iranian Medical Delegation led by Daood Kazemi, Vice-Chancellor of the University of Tehran. (SCMP 73-50/135)

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5-10 The International Badminton Invitation Exhibition Matches sponsored by the Hong Kong Badminton Association take place in Hong Kong. (SCMP 73-50/171-172; 73-51/27-28, 62-66, 120-123, 161-165)

5-23 Movement and activities of the Canadian Ice-Hockey Delegation led by Donald Johnson. (SCMP 73-50/171; 73-51/24, 59; 74-2/27)

6 Jamaican Prime Minister Michael Manley receives Chinese Ambassador to Jamaica Li Chao in Kingston. (SCMP 73-51/68)

6 A photo exhibition of women of New China opens in Conakry, Guinea, at a ceremony presided over by Madame Andre Toure, wife of President Sekou Toure. (SCMP 73-51/62)

6-13 A "China-Week" jointly sponsored by the Austrian Research Institute on China and the Europe-House of Burgenland is held in Eisenstadt, state capital of Burgenland. (SCMP 73-52/53)

6 A 113-member French delegation led by Mrs. Pierre Messmer, wife of the French Prime Minister, and Yves Guena, Minister of Transport, leaves Paris for Peking to mark the establishment of Air France's service between Paris and Peking. (SCMP 73-51/25)

6-24 Movement and activities of the "February 8" Men's and Women's Basketball Team of the Korean People's Army, led by Kim Gong Rie, in China. (SCMP 73-50/177-178; 73-51/69-70; 74-2/29)

7 His Majesty King Birendra Bir Bikram Shah Dev of Nepal issues a message to the nation before his departure for a state visit to China. (SCMP 73-51/33)

7 Their Majesties King Birendra Bir Bikram Shah Dev and Queen Aishwarya Rajya Laxmi Devi Shah of Nepal and their entourage leave Kathmandu for a state visit to China and arrive in Kunming to warm welcome. (SCMP 73-51/35-36)

7-14 Movement and activities of Their Majesties King Birendra Bir Bikram Shah Dev and Queen Aishwarya Rajya Laxmi Devi Shah of Nepal and their entourage in China. (SCMP 73-51/35-36, 71-81, 127-134, 168-172, 209-210; 73-52/27-28, 29-31)

7 Nepalese newspapers and radio hail the visit to China by King Birendra and Queen Aishwarya. (SCMP 73-51/82)

7 Nepalese Journals hail new development of friendship between Nepal and China. (SCMP 73-51/34)

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7	Chinese representative Chuang Yen at UN General Assembly exposes Soviet draft resolution on military budget reduction as one of sham disarmament. (SCMP 73-51/83-86)
7	Jen-min Jih-pao carries an article by its commentator entitled "The Lawful Rights of the Cambodian People Cannot Be Deprived." (SCMP 73-51/22-23)
7	Chinese Vice-Minister of Foreign Trade Tsai Shu-fan meets and fetes Dr. J.B. Kelegama and two other members of the advance party of the Sri Lanka Government Trade Delegation. (SCMP 73-51/40)
7	The Kwangchow Acrobatic Troupe, led by Li Wei-ying, arrives in Hong Kong after winding up its friendly performance tour of Australia and New Zealand. (SCMP 73-51/26-27)
7-11	Movement and activities of the France-China Friendship Delegation, led by Mme. Pierre Messmer, wife of the French Prime Minister, in China. (SCMP 73-51/26, 60-61, 117-118, 119, 160)
8	Chinese leaders Chou En-lai, Chiang Ching, Li Hsien-nien and Wu Teh meet His Majesty King Birendra and Her Majesty Queen Aishwarya of Nepal. Premier Chou En-lai gives a grand banquet to warmly welcome the distinguished Nepalese guests. Premier Chou En-lai and King Birendra speak at the banquet. (SCMP 73-51/74-81)
8	Jen-min Jih-pao carries an editorial entitled "A Warm Welcome to the Distinguished Guests from Nepal." (SCMP 73-51/37-38)
8	Ma Jen-hui, Director-General of the General Administration of Civil Aviation of China, gives a reception in Peking to mark Air France service to Peking. (SCMP 73-51/60-61)
8	Liao Cheng-chih, President of the China-Japan Friendship Association, meets with the Japanese Youth and Students Friendship Group, led by Hiroshi Kanahara. (SCMP 73-51/68-69)
8	Dr. Lucien Bernard, Assistant Director-General of the World Health Organization, and six members of the WHO Study Group led by him leave Peking for Geneva. (SCMP 73-51/87)
8	American friendly personage Amy Schaeffer leaves Peking for home. (SCMP 73-51/86)
8-19	Movement and activities of the Japanese Ice-Hockey Delegation, led by Yoshio Yamazoe, in China. (SCMP 73-51/124, 125-126; 74-1/24)

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8 A three-member delegation of Chinese traditional-style painters led by Ya Ming leaves Peking for a friendly visit to Viet Nam. (SCMP 73-51/86)

8-18 Movement and activities of the Chinese Table Tennis Delegation, led by Chiu Chung-hui, in Guyana. (SCMP 73-51/119-120, 161; 74-1/23)

8-19 Movement and activities of the Danish National Table Tennis Team, with Christen Hjorth as captain, in China. (SCMP 73-51/115-117; 74-1/21)

8 A pair of pandas of the giant variety, a gift of the Chinese Government to President Georges Pompidou of France and the French people, are flown to Paris. (SCMP 73-51/61)

9 Chairman Mao Tse-tung meets King Birendra and Queen Aishwarya of Nepal. (SCMP 73-51/127)

9 Chinese Premier Chou En-lai and Nepalese King Birendra hold talks. (SCMP 73-51/128)

9 French Ambassador to China Etienne Manach'h and his wife give a reception at the embassy in Peking to mark Air France service to Peking. (SCMP 73-51/117-118)

9 Liao Cheng-chih and Chang Hsiang-shan meet and fete the Friendship Delegation of the General Council of Trade Unions and the Independent Trade Unions Federation of Japan with Eizo Yashiro as its leader. (SCMP 73-51/123)

10 Chinese Premier Chou En-lai and Nepalese King Birendra continue talks. (SCMP 73-51/129)

10 Nepalese Ambassador to China Ranadhir Subba and Mrs. Subba give a grand banquet at the Great Hall of the People in Peking, by command of Their Majesties King and Queen of Nepal. King Birendra and Premier Chou En-lai speak at the banquet. (SCMP 73-51/129-134)

10 The Nepalese press acclaims growth of Sino-Nepalese friendship. (SCMP 73-51/135)

10 A delegation of the China Travel and Tourism Administrative Bureau led by Li Chuan-chung leaves Peking for a friendly visit to Korea. (SCMP 73-51/126-127)

10 The Delegation of Chinese Traditional-Style Painters led by Ya Ming, arrives in Hanoi on a friendly visit to Viet Nam. (SCMP 73-51/216)

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10 NCNA releases an article entitled "Deceptive Draft Resolutions, Mere Scraps of Paper," denouncing the Soviet Union. (SCMP 73-51/174-177)

11 Egyptian Vice-President Hussein El Shafei receives Chinese Ambassador to Egypt Chai Tse-min. (SCMP 73-52/18)

11 The protocol of the 15th session of the China-Albania Joint Committee for Scientific and Technical Cooperation is signed in Tirana. (SCMP 73-51/159)

11 UN Security Council adopts resolution to halt "dialogue" with South African authorities. (SCMP 73-51/211-214)

11 Chin Li-sheng, Deputy Secretary-General of the Chinese Academy of Sciences, meets and fetes Romanian biologist Dr. Fabian Georgeta, who has come on a study tour of China. (SCMP 73-51/173)

11 Mustafa Sabri Suphandagli, President of the Izmir Journalists' Association of Turkey, leaves Peking to tour Kwangchow before going home. (SCMP 73-51/177)

11 The Chinese Friendship Delegation with Chen Kang as leader returns to Peking after paying a friendly visit to the Liberated Areas of Laos. (SCMP 73-51/168)

11 The Photo Exhibition on Women of New China closes in Conakry, Guinea. (SCMP 73-51/200)

12 Pieere Werner, Prime Minister of the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg, receives in the city of Luxembourg, Li Lien-pi, first Chinese Ambassador to Luxembourg. (SCMP 73-52/25)

12 Pei Tsien-chang, Chinese Ambassador to New Zealand, gives a dinner in honor of Sir Edward Denis Blundell, Governor-General of New Zealand, and Lady Blundell. (SCMP 73-51/210)

12 The France-China Friendship Delegation, led by Mme. Pierre Messmer, wife of the French Prime Minister, returns to Paris after concluding a friendly visit to China. (SCMP 73-51/200)

12 A ten-member Italian Economic Delegation headed by Francesco Parrillo, President of the National Association of the Italian People's Bank, leaves Peking for a visit to Shanghai and Kwangchow on its way home. (SCMP 73-51/202)

12 The 28th UN General Assembly condemns colonialism and neo-colonialism. (SCMP 73-51/214-216)

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12 The Kwangchow Acrobatic Troupe of China, led by Li Wei-ying, gives its premiere in Hong Kong. (SCMP 73-51/201)

12 The Chinese Badminton Delegation led by Wang To leaves Hong Kong after taking part in the International Badminton Invitation Exhibition Matches. (SCMP 73-51/166)

13 NCNA releases China-Nepal Joint Communique. (SCMP 73-52/25-27)

13 First Committee of UN General Assembly adopts draft resolution on "World Disarmament Conference." (SCMP 73-52/32-34)

13-17 The Chinese Table Tennis Team led by Kuang Hui-kuang visits Finland after concluding its visit in Iceland. (SCMP 73-52/18, 93)

13 The 15-member friendship delegation of the General Council of Trade Unions and the Independent Trade Unions Federation of Japan led by Eizo Yashiro leaves Peking to tour southern parts of China on its way home. (SCMP 73-51/203)

13 Rally by students of Peking and Tsinghua Universities supports South Korean Students struggle. (SCMP 73-51/205-206)

13 Peking women's meeting supports South Korean women's struggle against Pak Jung Hi clique. (SCMP 73-51/207-208)

14 King Birendra Shah of Nepal sends messages of thanks to Premier Chou En-lai and Acting Chairman Tung Pi-wu when he leaves Kunming for home. (SCMP 73-52/30)

14 Nepalese press praises Nepal-China friendship. (SCMP 73-52/28-29)

14 Chang Chun-chiao meets and fetes Comrade Le Duc Tho and his party who arrive in Peking on their way to Paris. (SCMP 73-52/35)

14 Jen-min Jih-pao carries an article by its commentator under the title "Salute Student Youth and Other People of South Korea." (SCMP 73-51/204-205)

14 University students in Tientsin and Shenyang voice support for South Korean students' struggle against Pak Jung Hi clique. (SCMP 73-52/22-24)

14 Shanghai workers' rally supports South Korean people's struggle against Pak Jung Hi clique. (SCMP 73-52/20-21)

14-28 Movement and activities of the Korean Cinematography Delegation headed by Bok Sung Yoo, in China. (SCMP 73-52/24; 74-2/102)

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14 A Chinese Graphic Art Exhibition is opened in Rawalpindi, Pakistan. (SCMP 73-52/57)

14 NCNA releases an article entitled "Soviet Union Steps Up Spread of 'Two Chinas' Fallacy." (SCMP 73-52/31-32)

15 King Birendra Shah of Nepal issues a message to the Nepalese people on his trip to China. (SCMP 73-52/56)

15 Comrade Le Duc Tho and his party leave Peking for Paris. (SCMP 73-52/35)

15 The UN Security Council holds a meeting in private to discuss the "arrangements for the proposed peace conference on the Middle East." (SCMP 73-52/97-98)

15 The UN Conference on a code of conduct for liner conferences ends its work in Geneva. (SCMP 73-52/62-63)

15 Pierre Audoin, Assistant Delegate of Information of the French Ministry of Industrial and Scientific Development, leaves Peking for home. (SCMP 73-52/54)

15 A group of the Chinese Academy of Sciences leaves Peking for Colombo, capital of Sri Lanka, to attend the 29th annual meeting of the Ceylon Association for the Advancement of Science. (SCMP 73-52/61)

15-28 Movement and activities of Turkish women musicians Suna Kan and Gulay Ugurta in China. They come to China on a performance tour. (SCMP 73-52/62, 96; 74-1/28-29; 74-2/106)

15 The Education Delegation from the People's Democratic Republic of Yemen, led by Saeed Abdul Khair Annoban, arrives in Peking for a friendly visit to China. (SCMP 73-52/64-65)

15 A football team of Liaoning Province, China, with Leng Pao-chen as leader, leaves Peking for a friendly tour of the Congo and the Sudan. (SCMP 73-52/53)

15-22 Movement and activities of the Czechoslovak Government Trade Delegation, led by M. Bursa, Vice-Minister of Foreign Trade, in China. (SCMP 73-52/54, 92; 74-1/87)

15-22 Movement and activities of the Sri Lanka Government Trade Delegation, led by Tikiri Banda Illangaratne, in China. (SCMP 73-52/61-62, 95; 74-1/27, 60, 97)

15 NCNA releases an article entitled "Soviet Revisionists Conduct Unbridled Arms Expansion, Ask for Loans Everywhere." (SCMP 73-52/58-60)

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16 The Vietnamese Cinema Delegation headed by Phan Trong Quang, and the Vietnamese Journalists Delegation led by Vu Ngoc Giao, leave Hanoi for a friendly visit to China. (SCMP 73-52/64)

16 A five-member Korean Delegation to the 13th meeting of China-Korea Committee for Cooperation in Border River Transport, led by Choe Chong Pil, arrives in Peking. (SCMP 73-52/55)

17 Tanzanian President Nyerere receives Li Yao-wen, Chinese Ambassador to Tanzania, in Dar Es Salaam. (SCMP 73-52/95)

17 Abdul Rahman Al Eriani, President of the Yemen Arab Republic, receives in Hodeida Chang Tsan-ming, Chinese Ambassador to the Yemen Arab Republic. (SCMP 73-52/102)

17 The 1974 Goods Exchange and Payments Agreement between the Governments of China and Czechoslovakia is signed in Peking. (SCMP 73-52/92)

17 UN General Assembly concludes debate on credentials committee report. (SCMP 73-52/98-101)

18 The Chinese Ministry of National Defense sponsors a soiree in Peking in honor of military attaches and deputy military attaches of embassies of various countries in China, and their wives. (SCMP 73-52/102)

18 British Prime Minister Edward Heath tells the House of Commons that he has put off his visit, due from January 4 to 12, 1974, to China because of the "difficult and indeed grave situation facing the British Nation." (SCMP 74-1/57)

18 Dutch Minister of Economic Affairs Rund F.M. Lubbers receives in Amsterdam Sun So-chang, chief of the Chinese delegation to the Chinese light industrial products and handicrafts exhibition. (SCMP 74/1-59)

18 Liao Cheng-chih, President of the China-Japan Friendship Association, meets with the Third Japanese Seamen's Friendship Delegation led by Tomoharu Heguri. (SCMP 73-52/93)

18 Nepalese newspapers hail the new development of the friendly relations between Nepal and China in editorials after the visit of Their Majesties King Birendra and Queen Aishwarya to China. (SCMP 73-52/94)

18 The three-member Film Delegation from Viet Nam led by Phan Trong Quang, arrive in Peking. (SCMP 73-52/101)

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18-24 The Chinese Table Tennis Delegation led by Chiu Chung-hui visits Venezuela. (SCMP 74-1/23; 74-2/69)

18 The Chinese Table Tennis Delegation led by Chiu Chung-hui leaves Georgetown for Venezuela after a friendly visit to Guyana. (SCMP 74-1/23)

18 Jen-min Jih-pao carries an article by Yang Ying entitled "An Out-and-Out Merchant of Death." (SCMP 74-1/24-27)

19 Salem Robaya Ali, Chairman of the Presidential Council of the People's Democratic Republic of Yemen, receives Chinese Ambassador Tsui Chien at the Presidency. (SCMP 74-1/65)

19 Peking press circles give a banquet in Peking in honor of the Journalists Delegation of Viet Nam with Vo Ngoc Giao as its leader. (SCMP 74-1/29)

19 The visiting French Table Tennis Team plays a friendly series with the Chinese Team at the Capital Indoor Stadium in Peking. (SCMP 74-1/21-22)

19-28 Kweichow province holds 5th Trade Union Congress. (SCMP 74-5/81-83)

20 Nguyen Van Quang, RSVN Ambassador to China, gives a film reception in Peking to mark the 13th anniversary of the founding of the South Viet Nam National Front for Liberation. (SCMP 74-1/63-64)

20 A protocol relating to the exchange of commodities between China and Sri Lanka for 1974 is signed in Peking. (SCMP 74-1/60)

20 The Education Delegation from the People's Democratic Republic of Yemen led by Saeed Abdul Khair Annoban, leaves Peking on a visit to the Chinese agricultural pace-setter of Tachai production brigade in Shansi province. (SCMP 74-1/64)

20 A ceremony is held in the Paris Zoo for the handing over of a pair of giant pandas as a gift of the Chinese Government to French President Pompidou and the French people. (SCMP 74-1/57-58)

21 Sierra Leonean President Siaka Stevens receives Chinese Ambassador to Sierra Leone Chao Cheng-yi in Freetown. (SCMP 74-2/33)

21 A Peking artillery unit of the Chinese People's Liberation Army celebrates the 29th anniversary of the founding of the Viet Nam People's Army. (SCMP 74-1/62-63)

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21 Colonel Bogdan Malbasic, Military Attache of the Yugoslav Embassy in Peking, and his wife give a cocktail party in Peking to celebrate the Yugoslav Army Day. (SCMP 74-1/65)

21 A ten-member Delegation of the China-Korea Friendship Association, led by Yang Chun-fu, a leading member of the Association, leaves Peking for a friendly visit to Korea. (SCMP 74-1/59)

21-27 Movement and activities of the Thai Trade Delegation, led by Chatichai Choonhavan, Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs, in China. (SCMP 74-1/61; 74-2/33, 72, 103-104)

22 Chinese Foreign Minister Chi Peng-fei and Vice-Minister of Foreign Trade Chou Hua-min go to the Spanish Embassy in Peking to express their condolences on the death of Spanish Premier Luis Carrero Blanco. (SCMP 74-1/97)

22 French President Pompidou sends a letter to Acting Chairman Tung Pi-wu, thanking the Chinese Government for presenting him and the French people with a pair of giant pandas. (SCMP 74-1/88)

22 Colonel Nguyen Dong, Military Attache of the DRVN Embassy, gives a film reception at the Embassy in Peking to mark the 29th anniversary of the founding of the Viet Nam People's Army. (SCMP 74-1/98)

22 The French Table Tennis Team plays its third series of friendly match with the Chinese Team at the Capital Indoor Stadium in Peking. (SCMP 74-1/88-89)

22 The Delegation of the China-Korea Friendship Association, led by Yang Chun-fu, arrives in Pyongyang on a friendly visit to Korea. (SCMP 74-1/89-90)

22-25 Movement and activities of M. Nur Khan, Chairman of the Pakistan International Airlines Corporation, and three other Pakistan guests, in China. (SCMP 74-1/92; 74-2/71)

22 NCNA releases an article by its commentator entitled "System for 'Security' or for Aggression and Expansion?" (SCMP 74-1/92-96)

23 Chinese Vice-Ministers Yeh Chih-chiang, Han Tsung-cheng and Ma Yi meet and fete the Albanian Metallurgical Working Team led by Zenel Hamiti, Vice-Minister of Industry and Mines. (SCMP 74-2/66)

23 The Albanian Paper "Zeri I Popullit" carries an editorial acclaiming the great victories won by the Chinese people in socialist construction. (SCMP 74-2/66-67)

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23 A Chinese Tennis Team led by Chang Ming-tseng leaves Peking on a friendly visit to Burma. (SCMP 74-2/26)

23 Mr. A. de O. Sales, President of the Amateur Sports Federation and the Olympic Committee of Hong Kong, and Mrs. Sales arrive in Peking after visiting Kwangchow, Shanghai and Hangchow. (SCMP 74-2/28)

23 The Romanian Junior Table Tennis Team led by Costea Mircea plays a friendly match in Peking. (SCMP 74-2/32)

23 The Chinese Group which has escorted to Paris a pair of giant pandas leaves Paris for home. (SCMP 74-2/28)

24 Liao Cheng-chih, President of the China-Japan Friendship Association, meets in Peking with the Hokkaido Economic and Trade Friendship Delegation of Japan led by Michio Imai. (SCMP 74-2/29)

24 The Korean paper "Rodong Sinmun" warmly praises the great friendship between the Korean and the Chinese peoples in an article entitled "Great Friendship Sealed in Blood." (SCMP 74-2/30-31)

24 The Chinese Tennis Team headed by Chang Ming-tseng arrives in Rangoon for a friendly visit to Burma. (SCMP 74-2/27)

24 The Chinese Table Tennis Delegation led by Chiu Chung-hui arrives in Ecuador after concluding its friendly visit in Venezuela. (SCMP 74-2/69)

25 Vice-Premier Teng Hsiao-ping meets with the Vietnamese Journalists' Delegation led by Vo Ngoc Giao. (SCMP 74-2/73)

25 A seven-member delegation of the China-Viet Nam Friendship Association led by An Ping-sheng, a leading member of the China-Viet Nam Friendship Association, leaves Peking on a friendly visit to Viet Nam. (SCMP 74-2/73-74)

26 General O Jin U, Chief of the General Staff of the Korean People's Army, receives Chen Chien-wu, new member of the Chinese People's Volunteers of the Korean-Chinese Side to the Korean Military Armistice Commission. (SCMP 74-2/70)

26 The "Voice of the People of Thailand" in an article hails the glorious achievements won by the Chinese people under the guidance of the revolutionary line of Chairman Mao Tse-tung. (SCMP 74-2/104-105)

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26 The Romanian Junior Table Tennis Team led by Costea Mircea leaves Peking for Shanghai. (SCMP 74-2/72)

26 The Chinese Tennis Team, led by Chang Ming-tseng, has first friendly match in Rangoon. (SCMP 74-2/101-102)

27 Upper Volta Prime Minister Gerard Kango Ouedraogo receives Hsieh Pang-chih, first Chinese Ambassador to Upper Volta. (SCMP 74-2/184)

28 Nepalese Ambassador to China Ranadhir Subba and Madame Subba give a reception in Peking to celebrate the birthday of His Majesty King Birendra Bir Bikram Shah Dev of Nepal. (SCMP 74-2/103)

28 Ridha Klibi, first Tunisian Ambassador to China, arrives in Peking. (SCMP 74-2/105)

28 Ho Ying, Wu Hsin-yu and Lin Lin call at the Turkish Embassy in Peking to express their condolences on the death of the former President of Turkey, Senator Ismet Inonu. (SCMP 74-2/106)

28 An agreement on mutual exemption of visa is reached between the Chinese Government and the Provisional Revolutionary Government of the Republic of South Viet Nam. (SCMP 74-2/107)

28 An exhibition of unearthed relics of the People's Republic of China opens in the Art Museum in Bucharest. (SCMP 74-2/147)

29 Liao Cheng-chih, President of China-Japan Friendship Association, meets in Peking with the Japanese Friendship Delegation from various circles of Tokai city, led by Ryosaku Watanabe. (SCMP 74-2/146)

29 Kuo Mo-jo, President of the Chinese Academy of Sciences, meets and gives a dinner in Peking in honor of Chieh Chien Chang, Chinese-American professor of aerospace and atmospheric sciences, and his wife Than Chie Chang. (SCMP 74-2/148)

29 Egypt-China Friendship Association holds tea party in Cairo. (SCMP 74-2/144)

29 The French Table Tennis Delegation, led by Jean Mercier, leaves Kwangchow for home, after concluding its friendly visit in China. (SCMP 74-2/144-145)

29 Mr. A. de O. Sales, President of the Hong Kong Amateur Sports Federation and the Olympic Committee of Hong Kong, and Mrs. Sales leaves Peking for a tour of Nanking and other cities on their way back to Hong Kong. (SCMP 74-2/145-146)

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29 The Table Tennis Association of the People's Republic of China conducts an examination in Peking for international table tennis umpires. (SCMP 74-2/143)

30 A spokesman of the Headquarters of the Chinese People's Liberation Army Units on the Fukien Front announces suspension of shelling during New Year holidays. (SCMP 74-2/142)

30 Hao Chung-shih, Acting President of the Chinese Society of Agronomy, meets with the Friendship Delegation of the Japan-China Agricultural and Peasant Exchange Association, led by Takuro Shimada. (SCMP 74-2/146)

31 The Office of the State Council gives a grand banquet in Peking in honor of foreign experts who are working in China to help in its socialist revolution and construction, and their families. (SCMP 74-2/172-173)

31 Chinese Foreign Minister Chi Peng-fei meets with Ridha Klibi, first Tunisian Ambassador to China. (SCMP 74-2/182)

31 Mir Monammad Yussuf, new Afghanistan Ambassador to China, arrives in Peking. (SCMP 74-2/178)

31 Chang Hsiang-shan, Vice-President of the China-Japan Friendship Association, meets in Peking with the Japanese Workers' Delegation for Japan-China Friendship, led by Harumi Nakano. (SCMP 74-2/179)

31 An agrement is signed in Peking at the 13th meeting of the China-Korea Committee for Cooperation in Border River Transport. (SCMP 74-2/182)

31 Jen-min Jih-pao carries a signed article entitled "The World Advances Amidst Great Disorder." (SCMP 74-3/30-34)

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